

Terre Haute, Indiana, Tuesday, November 22, 1904

ALDEN FOUNTAIN WAS UNVEILED

This afternoon at 2 o'clock the Alden Memorial fountain, erected in the honor of Mr. L.P. Alden, for twenty years superintendent of the Rose Orphan home, was unveiled with fitting & impressive exercises.

Practically all of the delegates attending the State Conference of Charities and Corrections were present, besides a large number of citizens who were friends of Mr. Alden and were instrumental in the erection of the memorial. The exercises took place on the lawn and the weather was propitious, aiding the carrying out of a short program that was beautiful and yet solemn.

Rev. H.E. Wentworth, pastor of the First Congregational Church, of which church Mr. Alden was a most valued member, delivered the invocation. The children of the home sang several songs, and then Rev. Dr. Charles R. Henderson, a former pastor of the First Baptist Church of this city, first president of the board of trustees, and now professor of sociology in the University of Chicago, delivered the dedication address. Dr. Henderson was instrumental in having Mr. Alden come to Terre Haute and was a most intimate friend. Following the dedication address, the acceptance of the fountain for the home took place and Rev. John E. Sulger of St. Stephen's Episcopal church pronounced the benediction.

Rev. Dr. Henderson in part said:

A Friends Tribute

This fountain is an appropriate symbol for his monument. He, himself, desired that a fountain should be erected here, not so much to perpetrate

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his own name, as to bless the children who should here find a temporary home. The artist has told us in abiding material the story of the innocent childhood which the former master of this home so gladly watched on. It is a story of free play time and happiness, which all children have as a birthright. This fountain stream symbolizes purity and innocence. It brings to mind the world of cleanliness. This fountain signifies the uprising of life from heavenly sources. The waters were lifted to the hills by the heat of the sun, followed down the valleys, rained upon the fields, filled the soil deep beneath us, and here rise in laughter to quench the thirst of birds and children, to lull to peace with its murmur and whisper, and speak of the eternal life which is above and about the world.

"Our friend.

"We dedicate this fountain, work of art, gift of the love of many, to the abiding memory.

"Around the figures of playing children will sport the fatherless and motherless. Sorrow and hunger will here be mitigated. Hot tears will be wiped away. Misery will be forgotten."

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CHILD SAVING WAS HIS WORK

**Lyman P. Alden, Superintendent
of Rose Orphan Home,
Dies Suddenly.**

**WIDELY KNOWN AS
STUDENT OF CHILDREN**

**Was a Lineal Descendant of
John Alden of the May-
flower.**

The sudden death of Lyman P. Alden, superintendent of the Rose Orphan home, yesterday morning, was a shock to Terre Haute, which he was one of the best known citizens and universally esteemed.

Mr. Alden died at 11:15 a. m. at the office of the Terre Haute Electric company where his son Ernest G. Alden, the purchasing agent, has his office. A temporary oppressing and difficulty in breathing had caused Mr. Alden to stop to rest until relieved, but after sitting quietly for a few minutes, he fell back with a groan and died in a moment in the arms of his son, who had sprung to his assistance. The cause as given by Coroner Tabor was angina pectoris, of which there had been no premonitory symptoms, Mr. Alden being in his usual health and spirits up to the time of his sudden seizure.

It was a sad coincidence that Mr. Alden thus laid down his useful life and beneficent work on the anniversary of the day, January 2, 1883, on which he came to Terre Haute to take charge of the Rose Orphan home, to assist in the completion of the institution which was not opened until the September following.

Descendant of John Alder.

Lyman P. Alden, who was born at Floyd, N. Y., September 18, 1831, was the lineal descendant of John Alden of the Mayflower, being the eighth in descent, following Hon. John Alden, two Josephs, Eleazer, David, Isaac and Phay, his father.

His father died while he was a small boy and, though his mother was left with but limited means, he was able to acquire that thorough education of

Marionetta college in Ohio. At his graduation he was given the Greek and Latin orations and received his degree as bachelor of arts. It was his desire to become a missionary and he took a course at Lane Theological seminary, but a failure of his voice and eyesight prevented his entering on the work of his choice. It was six years before he was able to read a book.

Failing to recover his health in Florida he returned to Illinois, where he purchased a prairie farm in Christian county. While it was being improved he was invited to take charge of the Du Quoin Female seminary, where he remained two years. Afterwards he was professor of languages in the La Grange Collegiate Institution of Indiana.

Successful in Work.

Mr. Alden never engaged in any pursuit in which he was not thorough and successful, and in his next venture, in business, he attained great success. He removed to Coldwater, Mich., and engaged in the manufacture of barrels, staves and heading, building up a large business. He moved to Quincy, Mich., and the firm of Alden, Sutton & Co., of which Willard Kidder, Mr. Alden's brother-in-law, also was a member, created an extensive manufacturing enterprise, establishing a branch and a general store, and doing a very large business. At this time Mr. Alden organized the Northwestern Stave Manufacturers' association, composed of forty leading manufacturing concerns in six states. He was the secretary for three years of the organization, which contributed much to the success and prosperity of its members.

In Charge of Michigan School.

In 1875 Mr. Alden decided to sell his manufacturing interests, retaining those in the general store, to accept the superintendency of the Michigan State Public School for Dependent Children at Coldwater. This was the first institution of the kind in the country, and it has served as the model for many others, including our own Rose Orphan home and the Vigo County Home for Dependent Children. The Coldwater school and its superintendent acquired an international reputation, Mr. Alden often receiving letters of inquiry from European countries and many from different parts of the union. It can be said that Mr. Alden laid down the foundation principles for this line of work for saving children, and he ever has been recognized as an authority in the beneficent work which has employed his time and energies and filled his heart for the last twenty-eight years.

Married in 1862.

Mr. Alden was married in 1862, at Geneseo, Ill., to Miss Lena Kidder, sister of Willard Kidder, who survives him, with their three children, Miss Lena Eva Alden, Mrs. John E. Sulger, wife of the Rev. John E. Sulger, and Ernest G. Alden. Two sisters also survive, in Mrs. Alma, each of Rome.

in Terre Haute in a good sense, memorial, so much has he done to sustain the church in past years by his personal labor and contributions, and to build that new church.

About twenty years ago the most prominent member of that church was Lucius Ryce, who, on a Christmas morning, fell dead in his pew. The good man who, in the light of the new year, fell dead yesterday came nearest to filling the large place of Mr. Ryce as a religious and social force in the Congregational church.

Man of Pronounced Culture.

Mr. Alden, as a member of the Terre Haute Literary club, showed, as he did everywhere, his uniform thoroughness and grasp of whatever he touched. Indeed, his culture was very broad and his knowledge extensive. He had an enthusiastic interest in literature, art and music and there were few subjects he was not informed upon. Life was earnest to him but he was very cheerful, gentle to his wards, lovable to his family and kindly thoughtful of his friends.

The last night of his life, at a family gathering at Millard Kidder's, New Year's night, had been especially bright and animated, Mr. Alden joining in the merriment with almost boyish gaiety.

The first thought of every one, as the news of Mr. Alden's death spread, was of the excellence of the life that was ended, and of surprise, that one so active and full in thought had passed his three score and ten. His eye was not dim, nor his natural force abated, as he went out from the new year to face the light of the endless years. Knowing what he had been, of the well ordered life, so painlessly ended, the wish must have been common, "May I die the death of the righteous and my last end be like his."

HIS DEATH A LOSS TO THE COMMUNITY

Judge Davis Pays a Tribute to L. P. Alden, a Co-Worker With Him in Charity.

Judge Sidney H. Davis said last night that the Society for Organized Charities and the board of children's guardians felt deeply the loss of their co-worker, L. P. Alden. "Mr. Alden took a great interest in all phases of children's work," said Judge Davis, "and he was a thorough and capable man in his line. He was in entire sympathy with charity work and met with remarkable success in all that he undertook. He had a peculiar disposition, understanding the child nature as few men do. Results characterized his efforts and many of the children who came under his care have done well in the world. His guest only yesterday was Miss Elmore Franklin, a writer of wide reputation, who is doing special work for eastern periodicals. He took pride in lifting his charges to a high plane of living."

Aldens cared for local orphans

Eidtor's Note:

Part two of the Alden Family history. This episode chronicles the involvement of the Alden Family with the Rose Orphan Home.

By Frances E. Hughes

The history of the Alden family is closely related to the history of the rearing of orphans in Terre Haute over many years.

Lyman Pliny Alden, lineal descendent

in the eighth generation of John and Priscilla Mullins Alden, came to Terre Haute with his wife and three children January 1, 1884, to become superintendent of the Rose Orphan Home, on the northeast corner of Twenty-Fifth Street and Wabash Avenue. He served in that capacity until his death 20 years later on January 2, 1904.

Then, his son, Ernest G. Alden, succeeded him in that position and remained superintendent of the home for 43½ years. During his time there, approximately 3,000 children were reared in the institution.

According to the home's records, only 3.2 percent of the children ever entered correctional institutions, and many became lawyers, teachers, writers, successful business men and politicians.

Each new child was weighed, measured, photographed and sent to a physician for a complete physical. Any problems discovered were immediately treated. During the more than 40 years, there were only four deaths of children in the home, an outstanding health record. Alden and his wife planned nutritious meals for the boys and girls and the children averaged five percent above normal in weight.

Lyman Alden and his brother-in-law, Willard Kidder, owned a stave and heading factory in Quincy, Mich., and with a cousin, Jesse Sutton, also owned Alden, Sutton and Company general store there. They also did the banking business of the town. They expanded their business to include stave and heading factories in

Coldwater and Jonesville, Mich., as well, packing 10,000 barrels of apples a year.

However, during the Panic of 1873, the businesses failed. In 1875, Lyman accepted the superintendency of the Michigan State Public School for dependent children at Coldwater, Mich., where he stayed for eight years. There were 325 children at the school.

In 1883, Lyman Alden went to Toledo, Ohio, as a member of the firm of Dewey Stave Company, the largest stave company in the world with 18 factories in Ohio. For a year, he managed two of these factories but was not willing to invest in the company.

When Chauncey Rose donated money for the establishment of the Rose Orphan Home and a board was set up for the institution, Lyman Alden was asked to come here as superintendent. His brother-in-law, Willard Kidder, had moved to Terre Haute a few years before and had built a flour mill here. Lyman and Lena and their three children, Ernest, Eva and Jessie, lived with the Kidders for awhile after they moved here.

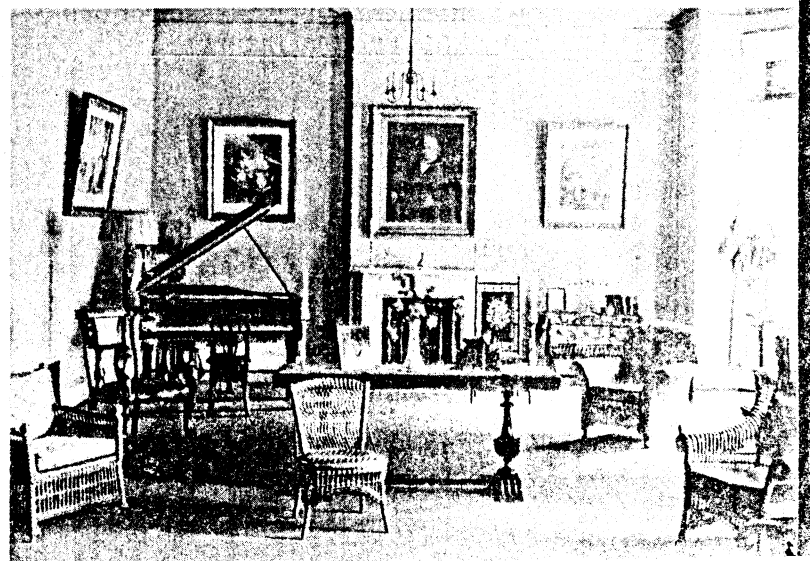
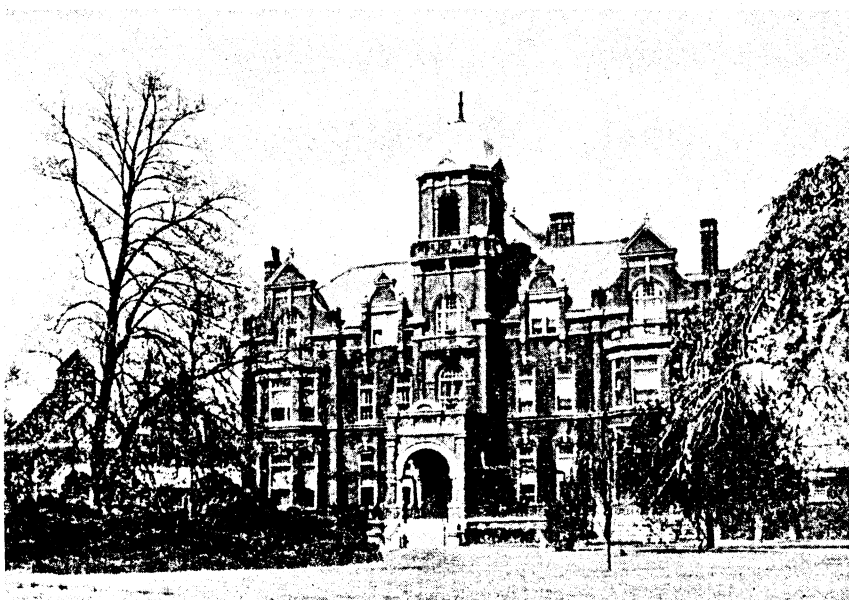
Alden supervised the construction of the buildings for the Rose Orphan Home and was superintendent there for 20 years, until his death at the age of 72. During this time, he and his family lived in the main building of the home.

Hannoford and Sons of Cincinnati, Ohio, were architects for the buildings and Rose was recognized as a model for the world when it was finished. The home was unusual for its cottage plan, forming

Photo at left. Ernest G. Alden, standing, was superintendent of the Rose Orphan Home for 43½ years. Seated are his eldest daughter, Priscilla; his wife, Katherine, and his sister, Eva. Below left is the main building of the former Rose Orphan Home, Twenty-fifth Street and Wabash Avenue, which was razed in 1966 to make way for the K-Mart Shopping Center. One of the cottages is seen at left and the chapel, at right, in the picture. Reception room in the main building of the former Rose Orphan Home, founded by Chauncey Rose in 1884. Portrait of Rose is over the fireplace.

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Local events benefit Lifeline

Social Agencies (Vigo Co.)

To keep Lifeline phones ringing, local celebrities, musicians and merchants will donate their services toward funding of the local referral service.

Formerly funded through the county council, Lifeline lost its appropriations this year through budget cuts. United Way will sponsor the agency in 1981, but until then Lifeline is asking for community support.

Bluegrass musicians at the first annual Bluegrass Jamboree Festival May 23-25 (see page 60) will donate some of the proceeds to Lifeline.

Ace Hardware store in Meadows Center will supply a hot dog wagon for Lifeline during the shopping center's anniversary celebration May 16 and 17. Lifeline members will operate the wagon and collect all the proceeds from sales of hot dogs and soft drinks, according to Dave Collins at Ace Hardware.

"Michael T.", one of the morning deejays at WVTS, 101-FM, sat 30 hours in a bathtub containing 36

gallons of ketchup to raise money for the financially troubled "Lifeline." The new world's record was set April 11 and 12 in the Swingley Chevrolet showroom.

Burns said he got involved in the ketchup marathon when local Chevrolet dealer, Roland Swingley, challenged him to try to beat the record established by 23-year-old James E. "Rip" Howell of Lafayette, LA. Howell sat in the saucy stuff for 17-and-a-half hours earlier this month.

"I know it's crazy, but it was lots of fun and we raised some money for a worthwhile cause," said the 38-year-old Burns. "At last report we had collected a little over \$600."

Burns wore a Tee-shirt and sauna pants to protect his skin from the burning acids of the ketchup. He sat on therapeutic cushions. He rubbed vaseline on his legs.

Burns said he suffered no ill effects and was back on the air the following Monday morning.

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Court made the children wards of the county, and just before Alden resigned, Judge DeWitt Owen increased the appropriation to \$14,000 a year. Contributions also were received from relatives of some of the children, and children from other counties were accepted when there was room.

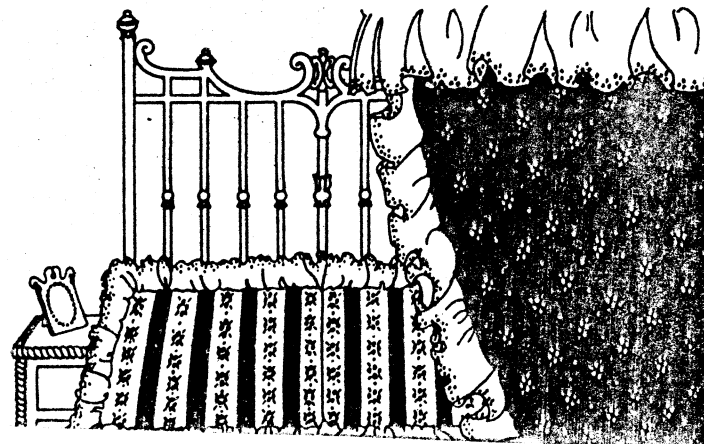
In 1947, the income from the county and relatives was \$25,000, but that still was not enough and the home was closed by 1950. The main building then became a home for the aged and was operated by the Episcopal Diocese of Indianapolis until it was sold in 1965.

In 1963, Cottage No. 1 was used as a training and rehabilitation center for cerebral palsied children and Cottage No. 2 was razed. The entire structure of the home was razed in 1966 to make way for the K-Mart Shopping Center.

Ernest Alden was made a member of the Vigo County Department of Public Welfare before resigning from his position at Rose Orphan Home, and Judge Owen asked him to see about conditions at the Glenn Orphan Home. He recommended that the cottage plan be put in effect there and \$450,000 was appropriated for three modern fireproof cottages, and \$21,000 for equipment at Glenn Home. Alden worked with the architect in planning these buildings. One of these cottages was named "Alden Hall" in honor of Ernest Alden.

Neither the Rose nor the Glenn orphan homes are in existence now.

**"Is your home
insured for
what it's
worth, or
just for what**



a more homelike atmosphere for the children.

In Quincy, Mich., Lyman Alden had been instrumental in building the Presbyterian Church, and later he and A. Z. Foster were responsible for raising 90 percent of the money for building the First Congregational Church here.

Lena Alden and her children continued to live at the Rose Home after the death of her husband as their only son, Ernest G. Alden, succeeded his father as superintendent of the institution.

Ernest married Katherine Strouse of Rockville in 1908 and their daughters, Priscilla, Elizabeth and Barbara, were born at the home. Mrs. Priscilla Alden George now lives in Columbus, Ohio; Mrs. Elizabeth Alden (Mrs. Robert) Notter at 2700 Eaton Road and Mrs. Barbara Alden Taylor at 109 South Glenn Road.

Mrs. Taylor has two sons, Alden Taylor, a newsman on Station WTHI-Radio, and Clayton Taylor, now of Owensboro, Ky., Kentucky correspondnet for Station WFIE-TV in Evansville.

After graduating from Terre Haute High School, Ernest took a position with A. S. Pettit and Co., investment bankers, in Denver, Colo. He also was made secretary-treasurer of the Colorado Abstract Company there. In 1892, Pettit had financial reverses and Ernest left to become a traveling salesman for the Wabash Flour Mills of Terre Haute, owned by Willard Kidder.

After a year, he became credit manager and head bookkeeper for Hulman and Company. He was then 23 years old. After

a year, he was on the verge of a nervous breakdown from overwork and responsibility, so he and his cousin, Idelle Kidder, and W. Ray Clayton leased a 22-room double residence in Chicago from May to November of 1893, during the Columbian World's Fair. During that time, they housed 931 people from all over the country who attended the fair.

Ernest returned home just before the wedding of his sister, Jessie, and the Rev. John E. Sulger, rector of St. Stephen Episcopal Church, which took place at the Rose Orphan Home.

The next project of Ernest Alden was the purchase of an interest in a brick plant here, of which he became manager in 1894. The Terre Haute Pressed Brick Company, manufacturers of "common brick" by machinery, turned out 40,000 bricks a day. These bricks were used in the building of the Big Four Depot, White Building, St. Benedict's Church parsonage, Hunter Laundry and other local buildings. In 1901, this business was sold to Pettyjohn Brothers.

During the time that interurban lines to Brazil, Clinton, Paris and Sullivan were built by the Terre Haute Traction and Light Company, Ernest Alden was assistant manager of the company.

When his father died in 1904, he became superintendent of the Rose Orphan Home. He was to remain there in all for 43½ years, resigning September 1, 1947, at the age of 78 years because of ill health. He died in 1958.

When he first took over the superintendency, Ernest had inside toilets installed

for the two cottages, one for boys and one for girls. He also had tile flooring installed in many areas, hardwood floors put down in several rooms, new stone porches on the cottages, replaced gas lights with electricity, new boilers, an addition to the main barn, a new cattle barn, silo and stock sheds and some new furniture.

A new herd of Holstein cattle for the home was added. Alden helped organize and served as president three consecutive years of the Vigo County Cow Testing Association and served as a director of the Indiana State Holstein Association for a number of years.

At that time, all children at the home from kindergarten through the eighth grade attended school there and then went on to the city high schools. The Rose School was abandoned in 1925, and the children then went to public schools. It was felt that they led more normal lives this way.

After contributing the money for building the Rose Orphan Home, Chauncey Rose endowed it for \$300,000, but after World War I, interest from the endowment no longer was sufficient to operate the institution. The original endowment could not be touched.

There were 112 children in the home and since the Glenn Orphan Home was filled to capacity, the children were made wards of Vigo County and the County Council appropriated \$12,000 a year, the amount of the deficit, to keep the home open.

Judge John P. Jeffries of the Circuit
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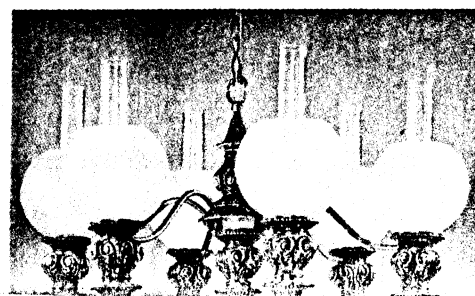
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T.N. Star, Feb. 22, 1958

Ernest G. Alden, Chauncey Rose School Chief for 43 Years, Succumbs at 88

Ernest G. Alden, who served as superintendent of the Chauncey Rose School for 43½ years, died at 1:40 o'clock yesterday afternoon at St. Anthony's Hospital. His age was 88.

He had suffered an attack of influenza in December and had been weakened since then. He became ill again Monday and was taken from his home, 1128 South Seventh Street, to the hospital Thursday, suffering with pneumonia.

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A NATIVE of Quincy, Mich., Mr. Alden moved here as a youth when his father was named head of the Chauncey Rose School. He lived at the school for 63 years.

Prior to succeeding his father as head of the school, he served as credit man and bookkeeper for Hulman & Co., was associated with associated with the late Willard Kidder as manager of the Terre Haute Pressed Brick Company and later as contract and purchasing agent for the Terre Haute Traction and Light, which position he resigned to head the school, serving it from 1904 to 1947.

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FOLLOWING his retirement with the closing of the school, an orphanage where he helped influence the lives of many boys and girls, he was a member of the



ERNEST G. ALDEN

Vigo County Welfare Board for a number of years, serving it as vice president, prior to being elected president in 1949, 1950 and 1951, and was a member of the Indiana Association of County Welfare Board Presidents and Directors for two years. During 1941, 1942 and 1943, Mr. Alden was president of the Indiana State Children's Homes Association. In 1928

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\$40,000 Estate Of E. G. Alden Put in Probate

Mrs. Katharine Alden of 1128 South Seventh Street will receive

net income from the \$40,000 estate of her husband, Ernest G. Alden, whose will was admitted to probate yesterday by Probate Commissioner John F. O'Brien. The Merchants National Bank accepted appointment as executor and trustee under the will.

The will provides two specific bequests, \$1,500 to a daughter, Mrs. Barbara Alden Taylor of New Providence, N. J., and household goods, jewelry, clothing and other personal effects to Mrs. Alden.

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THE RESIDUE of the estate is then set up in a trust, the net income of which is bequeathed to Mrs. Alden for life. Thereafter, the net income of the trust fund is left equally to two daughters, Miss Elizabeth Ewing Alden of 1128 South Seventh Street and Priscilla Alden George of Columbus, Ohio.

ALDEN
Family

Mr. Alden's will was dated Dec. 15, 1952, and witnessed by Attorneys George O. Dix and Floyd E. Dix and Veda A. Shirley. The firm of Dix, Dix, Patrick and Ratcliffe represents the executor.

Mr. Alden, who died Feb. 21, was superintendent of the Chauncey Rose School for more than 43 years, where he succeeded his father. He had lived at the school for 63 years, coming here from Quincy, Mich., when his father was appointed head of the Rose School.

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Significance of Celebration Held At Deming Park Here Sunday.

The third annual reunion of the Chauncey Rose School was held at the Fort in Deming Park on Sunday, June 19, in honor of the eighty-sixth birthday of Ernest G. Alden, former superintendent.

Dorothy Thompson Overpeck presided over the affair and introduced Mayor Ralph Tucker, who during his childhood years was "one of the boys" in the orphanage. In behalf of the group he paid a touching tribute to Mr. Alden, commenting upon the influence that he had made upon the lives of many of those to whom the institution was the only "home" they had. Mr. Alden had truly been a father to so many boys and girls, giving them the advice and encouragement that all children need to cause them to strive to develop those traits of character necessary to make them useful and desirable men and women of tomorrow. Father's Day was indeed an appropriate time to pay honor to one who had been the only parent that many had ever known.

Mr. Alden had recently been hospitalized and his health did not permit him to say too much. He expressed his gratitude to all for their attendance and thanked the group for the lovely birthday cake, baked by Mrs. Venice Autison, and the flowers.

Corsages, made by Mrs. Grace Lawyer, were given to the oldest



MAYOR SPEAKS AT ERNEST ALDEN'S ANNIVERSARY: Ernest Alden, former director of Rose Orphans' Home, receives a birthday cake from Mayor Ralph Tucker, who for a period during his childhood was a resident of the home. Mr. Alden was 86 years old yesterday. The presentation of the cake was made at the third annual reunion of Rose Home Sunday at Deming Park. In the presentation ceremonies were, from left: Miss Betty Alden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Alden; Mrs. Wood Gageby, sister of the mayor and also a former resident of the home; Mayor Tucker; Mr. Alden and Mrs. Alden.

one present, the youngest, the one with the most children, the one who had traveled the most miles to attend the reunion, the one who had spent the most years at Rose, and to members of the committee.

Several were present who had spent some time in the home shortly after the institution was first opened in 1884. Bob Greenwell, 15 years of age, was the baby of the "family," having left Rose when the school closed in 1949. Mention was made of those who have passed away and a list is being compiled in their memory. A vote of thanks was given to the committee who made plans for the event. Those assisting Mrs. Overpeck were Louise Eikmeier, Lea Cline Jones, Grace Autison Lawyer, Venice Autison, Ruth Thompson Clark, Ralph Littlejohn and Mr. and Mrs. William Streeter. Miss Harriet Smith is the acting treasurer.

Plans were made for next year's reunion to be held at the Fort the second Sunday in June. Over one hundred were present, representing many cities in Indiana and several different states. One family had come over 400 miles to renew acquaintances and visit with Mr. Alden and his family. Refreshments of ice cream, Coca-Cola, and cup cakes were served.

It was with regret that the affair came to a close and it was really a "family reunion" to those who had few or no relatives. All are looking forward to meeting from year to year and expressed the wish that Mr. Alden might yet have many years to meet with his adopted family.

The Terre Haute Tribune Mayor's Tribute To E. G. Alden On Anniversary 6/20/1955

Yesterday was the eighty-sixth birthday of Ernest J. Alden, until lately, the director of the Rose Orphan Home here. He succeeded his father, the late E. R. Alden, as head of the Rose Orphans' Home and the institution was brought to a point of excellence noted far and wide among such institutions.

Mayor Ralph Tucker, from the age from 8 to 10, was among the children reared in the home. On the death of his mother, the mayor and his sister were enrolled in the Orphans' Home.

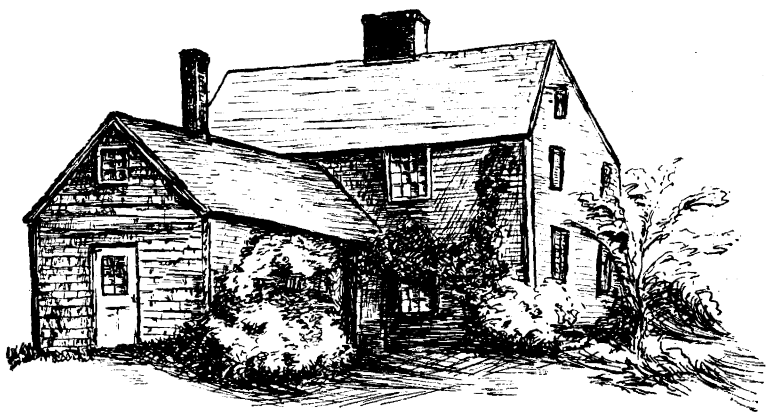
Yesterday, the mayor paid the following tribute to Ernest J. Alden:

At the annual reunion of former orphans of Rose Home, which was also held in conjunction with the 86th birthday of Ernest J. Alden, Mayor Ralph Tucker stated: "To those who have come from afar from many states to this reunion, a most cordial welcome back to Terre Haute.

"It is fitting and proper that we should dedicate this reunion to Ernest Alden, a name that is stamped indelibly on the minds of every boy and girl who were ever at the Rose Orphans' Home during a period of some 50 years.

"No man in my opinion, can rightfully refer to himself as self-made. It certainly takes the understanding and help of many other people. And certainly in our lives, particularly in mine, the understanding hand on my shoulder, and the words of wisdom of right and wrong of Ernest Alden, have been an inspiration and a challenge. It has governed all of our lives assembled here today.

And to Ernest Alden, congratulations and best wishes on your 86th birthday, and may your heart and soul be abundantly filled with contentment in the knowledge that we here assembled are deeply grateful for your many contributions and many acts of kindness and understanding that have set the pattern for our lives. And may each succeeding day bring you increased health and happiness."



The John Alden House

Duxbury, Massachusetts

This famous old house was built in 1653 by Jonathan Alden, third son of John Alden, who inherited the homestead. And under its roof John and Priscilla spent their last days. The house has been occupied continuously by his decendants. The farm originally contained about 169 acres. On a knoll a short distance away is erected a weather-worn slab, marking the sight of John Alden's first home in Duxbury, reared in 1627.

The house with a few acres is now owned by "The Alden Kindred of America." And a recent purchase has brought a portion of the farm again into Alden possession.



Lyman Alden
Died Jan. 2, 1904

The Rose Home heard of the Home at Coldwater, Mich., as a model institution of its kind and that the credit for it was due to his wise management, They secured him and under his direction, co-operating with the Board, the Rose Home was created and has been conducted. All over the U. S. among men and women who attend the National and State Conferences of Charities and Corrections, who are families with the great work of which that is a part, the Rose Home is regarded as a model. ~~Moreover, among the experts in this profession, for this has a profession, one of the highest and noblest, he has been~~

Mrs. Lena Alden (page 17, scrapbook 27, Fairbanks Library Obituaries Scrapbook)
Tribune April 29, 1929

Mrs Alden was born at Stratton, Vt. August 8, 1838. When she was 16 years of age, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ashby Kidder, and the other eight members of the family, of which she was the youngest, she came to Genesee, Illinois where they made their home. Mrs Alden then entered the Illinois State Normal School. After her graduation she began teaching at Rosemond, Illinois.

Lyman P. Alden, a young graduate from the Marianetta Ohio College, and then principal of the Dequion Femal Seminary, visited her school and fell in love with the beautiful and statel Miss Lena Kidder. They were married in 1863.

Mrs. Lena Alden died at the age of 99 years.

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EXERCISES AT ROSE OR-
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A former pastor of the First church of Terre Haute, Ind., and now professor of sociology in the University of Chicago, delivered the dedication address. Henderson was instrumental in the erection of the fountain at the Rose Orphan Home, a most intimate friend of the donor, and the fountain for the home took the name of the donor, L. P. Alden.

Rev. Dr. Henderson in a brief address

A Friend's Tribute

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Aldens trace origin to Pilgrim era

By Frances E. Hughes

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"Why don't you speak for yourself, John?"

That is what Priscilla Mullins said to John Alden those many years ago.

So we have learned from "The Courtship of Miles Standish," narrative poem by Longfellow, published in 1858.

Well, instead of wooing Priscilla for Miles Standish, captain of the Plymouth Colony, as Standish had asked him to do, John, also in love with Priscilla, did speak for himself.

And so John and Priscilla were married.

Material for "The Courtship of Miles Standish" was drawn from early New England histories, and the incident in the poem was true.

John Alden and Priscilla Mullins really did get married in 1621, and they had 11 children.

It is estimated by the family that by now there have been about a million descendants of this couple.

Among them are six Terre Hauteans, two of the tenth generation and four of the eleventh generation of one branch of the family.

The two of the tenth generation are Mrs. Elizabeth Alden (Mrs. Robert) Notter, 2700 Eaton Road, and Mrs. Barbara

Taylor, 109 South Glenn Road. Their sister, Mrs. Priscilla George, lives in Columbus, Ohio. They are the children of Ernest G. Alden, for many years superintendent of the Rose Orphan Home here.

Those of the eleventh generation are Barbara's two sons, Alden Taylor, a newsman on Station WTHI-Radio, and Clayton Taylor, now of Owensboro, Ky., Kentucky correspondent for Station WFIE-TV in Evansville, and the Misses Miriam and Eleanor Black, 1604 South Fifth Street, daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. James H. Black.

Among other descendants of John and Priscilla are such famous people as Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, William Cullen Bryant, four presidents of the United States, members of Congress, governors, an admiral of the United States Navy, and many others.

The genealogy of this family was traced back more than 400 years by the late Ernest G. Alden, father of Priscilla, Elizabeth and Barbara Alden. Alden wrote a book, "Memories of Ernest G. Alden," by request of his children in 1954.

Descendants of John and Priscilla from all over the country formed an organization many years ago and thereby were able to keep more or less intact the

history of this family. It was from family sources that Alden was able to piece together the genealogy of his branch of the Aldens.

Since Ernest Alden's ancestors in the Alden line were all male, the name carried down to him.

Both John Alden and Priscilla Mullins came to this country in the Mayflower in 1620. Alden, son of a clergyman of the established church in Harwich, Essex, England, and a college man, was one of eight men who guaranteed payment of money advanced to build the Mayflower.

It was claimed that John Alden was the first Pilgrim to set foot on Plymouth Rock. He was the youngest of those who signed the immortal compact of civil government in the cabin of the Mayflower, then at anchor in the harbor of Provincetown on November 15, 1620.

Alden was a cooper (barrel maker). He joined the Pilgrim Church and became one of the colony's leaders, serving as assistant governor most of the time from about 1631 until his death in 1688 at the age of 89. He also served as treasurer and in 1632 moved to Duxbury, Mass., where he became deputy. From 1653 until 1660 and again from 1675 until 1676, he was a member of the council of

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Political roundup for May 6 primary

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By Susan Crittenden

Heading into the stretch before the 1980 primary election, there are some interesting races behind a quiet facade. Vigo County Democrats and Republicans will go to the polls May 6 to select party candidates for 19 national, state and county offices, yet much of the local interest centers on the choices of candidates for jobs that fall into the "grass roots" category.

Democrats are putting a lot of effort into precinct committee races while Republicans are having a battle over delegates to the state convention.

Local Democrats think their party has a good chance to win the governor's seat this year and the party that controls that spot operates the state's county license bureaus. In Vigo County, the county chairman runs the license bureau and it is considered to be a very lucrative operation.

That helps explain the 42 local precinct contests, because it is the 107 precinct committeemen and the 107 vice-committeemen who will meet May 10 to elect a



Photo by Carl Orth

County Chairman Don Nattkemper says local Republicans are supporting Congressman Dan Quayle, pictured pumping gas in Terre Haute, in his primary contest against Roger Marsh. Winner will face U.S. Senator Birch Bayh in Nov.

Gas investigation complete

Eric Abel, county prosecutor, has completed his investigation of county gasoline shortages reported by County Councilman Gene Frazier last year, and found no evidence of any criminal wrong doing.

In a letter to Frazier, Abel said he had reviewed a full investigative report from Sheriff's Detective Sgt. John Harpold, who conducted the investigation at Abel's request. The report, over 100 pages, states that there are only 164.3 gallons of gasoline unaccounted for, rather than the 4,000 gallons that Frazier alleged were missing, Abel wrote.

The report, on file in the county commissioners' office, recommends a change in accounting procedures, so that gasoline use can be better tabulated.

Frazier, along with Commissioner Terry Brentlinger, charged in October, 1979, that more than 3,500 gallons of gas were missing from the old county garage at Twelfth Street and Seventh Avenue. Mid-January they claimed that Abel had failed to investigate the matter, although they had reported it to him.

Several years ago at budget time the county council and commissioners agreed to move to a centralized gasoline storage system. All county departments except highway use gasoline from the facility, with the Health Department being in charge of the pumps at that garage, Brentlinger said. Users in addition to the Health Department include Area Planning Department, Building Inspection Office, County Home and Welfare Department.

new Democratic county chairman. All precinct committeemen must first be elected themselves in the primary. Committeemen name their own vice-committeemen.

Rivals for Democratic Chairman

Leonard Conrad, Herman Fanning and C. Joseph Anderson are all announced candidates for the county chairmanship. Both Conrad and Fanning say they have not encouraged any people to run for precinct posts, but Anderson frankly admits that in certain cases he has.

"I have encouraged some people to run for precinct committeeman -- I'd say I'm responsible for about 25 candidates. But I did not find opponents for strong, hard-working committeemen, even though I knew that some of them were not for me. We'll need them in the fall to go out and work for the party and I wouldn't oppose them.

"I've encouraged opposition where I and others felt that the current committeemen did not want the job or did not want to work at the job. That's all I've done, because I think it's very important

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Storm of dissent hovers over Humane Society animal shelter

By Carl Orth

Intense divisions in opinion by board members of the Terre Haute Humane Society are unfolding after a dog bite case in December, 1979. Dissent over the incident which involved the animal shelter already has exacted a heavy toll: the firing of executive director Ron Wallace, a resignation in protest by one board member and the contemplation of a lawsuit against the Humane Society.

Leonard Keith is consulting with an attorney about a lawsuit. Keith argues the Humane Society may have prematurely released seven dogs on the same day when one of the dogs bit him at Mace Service auto repair garage on Dec. 16. Without confirmation of the immunization of the dogs against rabies, Keith was subjected to a series of 14 painful shots during the Christmas holidays. The injections caused Keith great discomfort and swelling. He lost nearly a month of work due to sickness according to Keith.

The Keiths charge that Humane Society officials did not cooperate fully in tracing the owner of the dogs. The dogs, four pups and three adults, belonged to a Betsy Van Schoon with addresses in a Denver suburb and a small town in Arizona. She supposedly was traveling to New York. Some calls were placed, but apparently may have proved inconclusive in finding Schoon.

Tickets from Humane Society files authorized the release of the dogs. The tickets are dated Dec. 16, the same day as the biting. They are signed by Betsy Van Schoon. Under the category "Shots" on the form, a checkbox labeled

"Unknown" is checked.

Handling (or mishandling) of the incident upset a number of the 11 board members. Board members quizzed Wallace about the case several months later when the incident came to light. Later, they discontinued his contract which came up for renewal Feb. 28, but employed him without a contract. In early March he was dismissed. Wallace was the third executive director in two years. Kennel manager Marge Dean will continue to supervise daily operations.

Rumors have been confirmed that discussion at an April board meeting will center on rehiring of Wallace. Board president Bill Cook said the subject might be broached. Wallace himself also said "there is a possibility of being reemployed." He added, "I've some board members working for me (for his reemployment) and realize the good program we had and want to keep it going." Both men declined to discuss specifics. Some board members suggest the position be abolished and no replacement for Wallace be hired.

But Linda Shaker, who served four years on the board, summed up the polarization of feelings that the Wallace flap has caused. Shaker, though, resigned March 13 specifically in protest of the handling of the Keith dog bite case. She stressed her objections lie with board policies, not the ideals and goals of the Humane Society itself. She will continue to volunteer her time for certain shelter projects, she said. She expressed a keen interest in animals, but not board politics.

■ Steve and Virginia Mankin hosted a grand reopening and Christmas party at their Creative Impressions store, 1327 Wabash Ave. They had purchased the

the buildings, Jean Wright was the president of the Deming PTA. ■ The Vigo County Health Department was requested to give at least a "visual check" of all Vigo County schools, both public

■ The contract for the operation of Paul Cox Field was terminated by the Board of Aviation

Union Hospital joined a nationwide project to provide the country with 25 percent more graduate professional nurses. Ellen Church was the hospital administrator.

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Descendants of John Alden made Rose Orphan Home nationally known

On Jan. 1, 1884, Lyman P. Alden and his family moved to Terre Haute to become superintendent of the Rose Orphan Home.

The buildings on the orphanage grounds were not completed but the board wanted Alden to use his experience to supervise their construction.

His credentials were nearly impeccable. After graduating from Marietta (Ohio) College in 1853, he had earned a degree from Lane Theological Seminary in Cincinnati. For several years, he taught at the LaGrange Collegiate Institute in Indiana, and was principal of a female seminary in DuQuoin, Ill.

During his seven-year stint as superintendent of the State School for Dependent Children in Coldwater, Mich., the facility was awarded a bronze medal at the 1876 Centennial Exposition in Philadelphia.

He also had a rich heritage. Lyman was a lineal descendant of John and Priscilla (Mullins) Alden.

Alden's decision to relocate was a difficult one. In 1883, he was hired as a part of the management team at the Dewey Stave Co. of Toledo, the largest stave enterprise in the world with 18 factories. However, after surveying the future availability of lumber in Ohio, he decided not to borrow money to invest in the firm.

Willard Kidder, Lyman's brother-in-law, had moved to Terre Haute in 1875 and established a very successful flour mill. Four years later, Wright L. Kidder, Willard's younger brother, moved to Vigo County.

Lyman's wife, Philena (Kidder) Alden, was an educated and efficient helpmate. She attended Nor-

mal College in Normal, Ill. (now Illinois State University) and taught school before her marriage. The Aldens had two children, Ernest and Jessie.

At the time of the move, son Ernest was 15 years old. He graduated from Terre Haute High



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School in 1889. He was an excellent student but suffered from a serious eye problem, requiring his mother to read school textbooks to him. The ailment prevented him from attending college. Upon earning his diploma, Ernest relocated to Denver, where he worked for

A.S. Pettit & Co., an investment banking firm. Things were going smoothly until December 1891, when the effects of a depression began to affect the country. All but three banks in Denver failed. Alden's employer, Albert S. Pettit, lost a fortune, and Ernest lost his job.

Uncle Willard Kidder came to the rescue, employing the 22-year old Alden as a traveling salesman for Wabash Flour Mill in Terre Haute. A year later, he became bookkeeper and credit manager for Hulman & Cox, the wholesale grocery firm. The work required long hours and, a year later, on the verge of a nervous breakdown, Alden resigned, much to the distress of partner Benjamin G. Cox.

Between May and November 1893, Ernest and two others leased a 22-room double residence

on Madison Ave. in Chicago to sublet to visitors to the 1893 Columbian Exposition. The venture was a success. During the eight-month period, 931 people resided in the home to attend the fair, netting about \$1,000 for each partner.

With some money in his pocket, Ernest acquired an interest in Terre Haute Pressed Brick Co. at 1300 N. First St., west of Woodlawn Cemetery, from Cyrus Knaff and became the plant manager. Willard Kidder owned a majority interest in the firm.

Under Alden's guidance, the firm prospered until sold to Laren and William Pettyjohn, who already owned the Pettyjohn Co. at 601 N. Sixth St., manufacturers of hollow concrete building block machines.

Again without a job, Alden agreed to organize store rooms at the Terre Haute Traction & Light Co., a subsidiary of Stone & Webster of Boston, owner of the interurban franchise from Terre Haute to Brazil as well as all electric transmission lines. The Terre Haute manager was Clint Kidder, Ernest's cousin.

Upon successfully introducing innovative methods to monitor the firm's inventory, Ernest became purchasing agent and, then, assistant manager. When Clint Kidder was transferred to Savannah, Ga., new manager J. Peyton Clark gave Alden even more responsibilities as the company built lines to Clinton, Paris and Sullivan.

Besides serving as the property manager and handling labor negotiations, Alden managed the large casino which had been moved by the Vigo County Agricultural Association in 1900 from

Harrison Park, north of Collett Park, to the fairgrounds at Wabash and Brown avenues. Plays, concerts and lectures were presented each summer.

Through Alden, Terre Haute Traction & Light Co. contributed money to support Lake View Park, operated on the south side of Wabash at about 27th Street by Henry L. Breinig and the Terre Haute Amusement Co. For their contribution, the interurban firm retained the right to pre-approve all vaudeville acts.

Lyman Alden died unexpectedly of a heart attack at age 72 on Jan. 2, 1904. Local newspapers were flooded with tributes. Besides his successful 20-year tenure as superintendent at Rose Orphan Home, the elder Alden was active in the First Congregational Church and a leader in its fund drive to build a new church on Ohio St.

A few days after the funeral, George E. Farrington, secretary of the Rose Orphan Home board of trustees, approached Ernest and urged him to succeed his father as superintendent.

Only days before his father's death, Gardner F. Wells, manager of Terre Haute Traction & Light Co., hinted that Alden soon would be promoted by Stone & Webster and made superintendent of a large plant in Texas.

Alden took two weeks to make a decision. He accepted the job at Rose Orphan Home primarily because he did not want to leave his mother in her time of need.

Ernest G. Alden was superintendent at Rose Orphan Home for nearly 44 years, resigning on Sept. 1, 1947, because of failing health. The institution became nationally known under his tutelage.

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war and also served as attorney for the colony.

Priscilla Mullins, born in 1602 in Dorking, Surrey, England, was three years younger than John. She was the daughter of William Mullins, a shopkeeper.

Priscilla and John were among the first of the Mayflower passengers to wed in this country when they were married in 1621.

It was from Joseph Alden, their second son, that the line of the local Alden family came. Joseph was born in 1624, and died in 1697. He married Mary Simmons, daughter of Moses Simmons, Esq., who came to this country in the "Fortune" to settle in Bridgewater, Mass. The couple had five children.

The third generation of this branch of the family was the second son of Joseph and Mary. He also was named Joseph. Born in 1667, he died in 1747 at the age of 80. In 1690, he married Hannah Dunham, daughter of Daniel Dunham, and they had 10 children.

Eleazer Alden was the fourth generation descendent. He was the third son of Joseph and Hannah and was born in 1694. He was married in 1720 to Martha Shaw, daughter of Joseph Shaw, and the couple had eight children. Eleazer died in 1773, at the age of 78, on his farm near Pine Hill, South Bridgewater.

The fourth son of this couple was the fifth generation descendent. David Alden was born in 1725 and died in 1809 at the age of 84 at his home in Ashfield, Mass. David married his cousin, Lucy Thomas, and the couple had five children.

The line was carried on by their eldest son, Isaac Alden, who was born in 1755 and died in 1822 at the age of 67. Isaac was one of the first settlers in Oswego County, where he built a sawmill. In 1811, just before the outbreak of the war with Great Britain, he was captured by the British and imprisoned. Because he would not swear allegiance to the king, he was deported to England, where he was in exile for nine years. He died shortly after his return.

Isaac married Irene Smith, born in 1757 in Ashfield, and the couple had 11 children.

Seventh generation of this branch of the family was Pliny Alden, third son of Isaac and Irene. He was born in 1787 in Ashfield, Mass., and moved with his family to Western, N.Y., in 1794. On March 27, 1812, he married Anna Upson, daughter of Deacon Ashbel Upson of Litchfield, Conn. She, too, lived to be 75 as she was born in 1787 and died in 1863. Pliny died in 1834, when he was only 46 years old. The couple had eight children.

Lyman Pliny Alden, born in 1831 at Floyd, N.Y., was their third son. He, too, lived a long time, being 73 when he died in 1904. He was married to Philena Kidder, daughter of Ashbel and Margaret Sprague Kidder, and the couple had three children.

It was Lyman, the eighth generation Alden descended from John and Priscilla in this branch of the family, who first came to Terre Haute, where he died in 1904 at the age of 73.

In the ninth generation of this branch of

the Alden family were the three children of Lyman and Philena. Lyman had served as superintendent of the Rose Orphan Home for some years and when he died, his only son, Ernest, succeeded him at that position. The other two children were Eva Alden and Jessie Seward Alden.

Ernest married Katherine Strouse of Rockville in 1908, and the couple had three daughters, Priscilla, Elizabeth and Barbara. Ernest, born in 1869, died in 1958 at the age of 88.

Eva Alden did not marry and lived all her life with Ernest and Katherine. She died in 1952.

Jessie married the Rev. John E. Sulger, rector of St. Stephen Episcopal Church here for 37 years. She died in 1951. The Sulgers had two children, Alden Harwood Sulger, Rochester, N.Y., and Miriam, who married James H. Black, Jr. These two with the three Alden sisters compose the tenth generation of the family.

Alden Sulger and his wife, the former Harriet Remington, had two children, Sarah Ann Sulger Pickering, Bryn Mawr, Pa., and Alden Harwood Sulger Jr.,

Greenwich, Conn., and the Blacks had two daughters, Miriam and Eleanor.

This brings us to the eleventh and twelfth generation of this branch of the Alden family. Alden and Clayton Taylor, Barbara Alden Taylor's sons, and Alden Sulger Jr., and Sarah Ann Pickering comprise the eleventh generation. The three children of Sarah Pickering and four children of Alden Sulger Jr., are the twelfth generation.

It is unusual for a family to trace its ancestry back so far and to have contact with so many members of the family over the years. This family must have been of sturdy stock as most of them lived to be past 70 years of age.

(Editor's Note: Next month, in the May issue, there will be a second story on the local Alden family, including the history of the former Rose Orphan home and the beginning of the Glenn Orphans' Home, both of which were started by the Aldens and are no longer in existence. Just this year, the original Glenn Home was sold and a new arrangement of several group living homes started.)

Six Terre Hauteans are among the tenth and eleventh generations of one branch of the Alden family. They are: Top (left to right) Eleanor Black and Miriam Black. Bottom (left to right) are Mrs. Elizabeth Notter, Alden Taylor, and Mrs. Barbara Taylor.



Honey Creek Township Investigated

There has been a hurrying back and forth during the past few weeks between the office of the trustee of Honey Creek township, Ivan Morris, and that of the state board of accounts, whose field examiners have been investigating some alleged irregularities in the accounts of the former official. There has been no charge of dishonesty in the matter, but it seems from all reports that the law has not been strictly adhered to in the affairs of the township, growing out of the erection of the township high school building

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When it was deemed necessary a few years ago to erect a high school building, a Honey Creek School Township Holding company was organized with Otho Price as president. The trustee had plans prepared, advertised for bids for the erection of the school, and bonds were issued in the amount of approximately \$67,000 to pay for the building.

Here is where the irregularities seem to appear in the scheme. It appears from the investigation of the state board of accounts that only \$50,000 was spent in the erection of the building, and the remainder, \$17,000, has been used for the purpose of paying off some old obligations of the township, and for paying the teachers of the township. Thus, while \$67,000 was realized from the sale of bonds to build the school house, and the people of the township are paying taxes on that amount of school township bonds, only part of the amount was used for the purpose. It is said \$8,000 of the \$17,000 was used in the payment of the teachers' salaries.

The proceedings preliminary to the erection of the high school building were all regular and had the approval of the state tax board, to which all moves for bond issues for public purposes must go.

West Terre Haute School Scandal

The feeling that seems to have become common the country over that public office is a private snap, was never better illustrated than in the case of Carl W. Holler, former superintendent of the West Terre Haute schools, and until Monday last principal of the Concannon school in Sugar Creek township, disclosed publicly when he presented himself at the office of Sheriff Dreher last Friday afternoon and surrendered on a charge made against him of filing a false claim against the West Terre Haute schools. From 1924 until he took charge of the Concannon school Holler was superintendent of the West Terre Haute schools and spent their funds, with the apparent approval of the school board of the over-the-river suburb, in a most reckless and extravagant manner, buying supplies for the Bethany Congregational church and Sunday school, and for his own personal use and for the furnishing and equipment of the home of his father, with whom he lived, and paying for them with the funds of the West Terre Haute school city.

The report of the field examiners of the state board of accounts which was filed

the latter part of January gives in detail the way this money was spent, some twelve or fifteen typewritten pages being required to set them out. The items were small in most cases, showing a continuous program of expenditure of the school money for his own personal purposes as well as for the church and Sunday school in which he was a leader and worker.

The field examiners report that they were able to discover a total of \$2,744.18 of the school funds that were thus expanded during a period of five years.

AT&T Purchases Property

The largest transaction in Terre Haute real estate in a number of years was consummated this week in the purchase by the American Telegraph and Telephone company of the 126 feet on Ohio street running back to the alley, formerly the Hulman home, from the Standard Investment company. The purchase price is said to have been in the neighborhood of \$100,000, but it does not include the equal frontage on Walnut street, 140 feet in depth, which was part of the original purchase made by the investment company from Mrs. Herman Hulman.

Society Notes

Miss Helen Vendel of 1031 South Eighth, entertained the members of her club Monday evening as follows: Mesdames Charles Metzger, Ed Holmes, John Ryan, William Reader, Bernard Leidinger, Herb Leach and Miss Helen Derby.

Mrs. Frank Lulke will entertain the members of her bridge club next Tuesday afternoon at her home, 344 Potomac Ave. Mesdames John Dailey, Noel Whitney, Charles Connelly, Louis Kefer, Ralph Yeager, Walter Ely Jr. and Maurice Fox are the members.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond J. Kearns (Frances Hunter), who since their marriage have been making their home in the Jefferson apartments, Eighth and Washington avenue, will move soon to 1601 South Center, the home formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Winthrop Dillingham.

Miss Elizabeth Miller entertained the members of the B.E.G. club Wednesday evening at her home, 903 South Seventh. The membership consists of Misses Clara Lane, Lulu Freeman, Helen Miller, Zora Erwin, Lulu Stout, and Mesdames Anna Evans, Cleve Trueblood, Patrick Bailey, Robert Pollitt, and H. W. Coordes.

Mrs. George Oscar Dix will be hostess for a meeting of the Portfolio club at her home, 1333 South Center, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Omar Mewhinney will have a paper on "Gypsies and Basques." Members of the club are Mesdames Ernest Alden, Omar Mewhinney, Robert A. Gilchrist, James S. Royce Sr., Gail Van Winkle, B. B. White, Joseph Weinstein, Paul N. Bogart, Robert Herkimer, Miss Nellie Talley, Miss Helen Benbridge, and Miss Grace Arnold.



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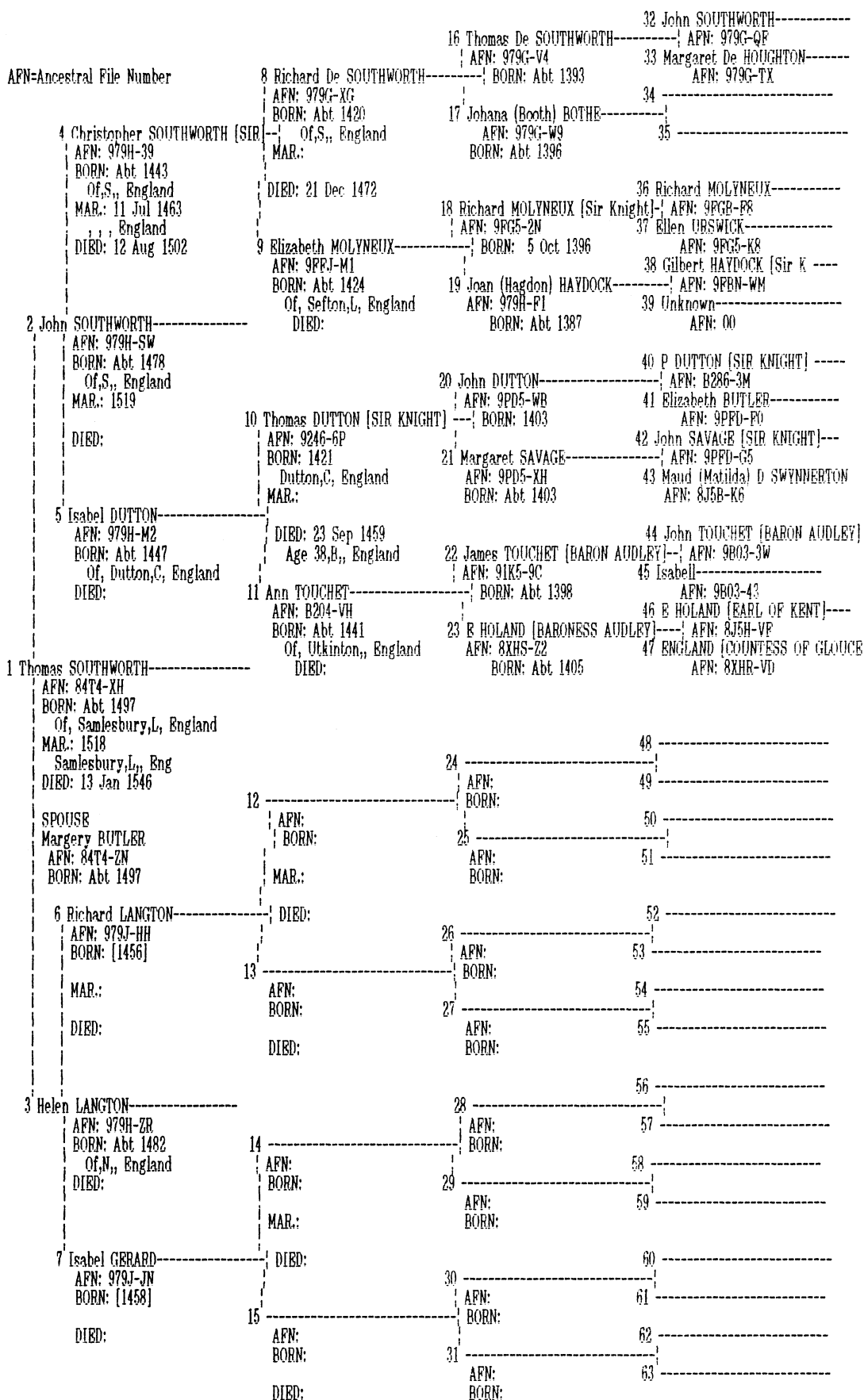
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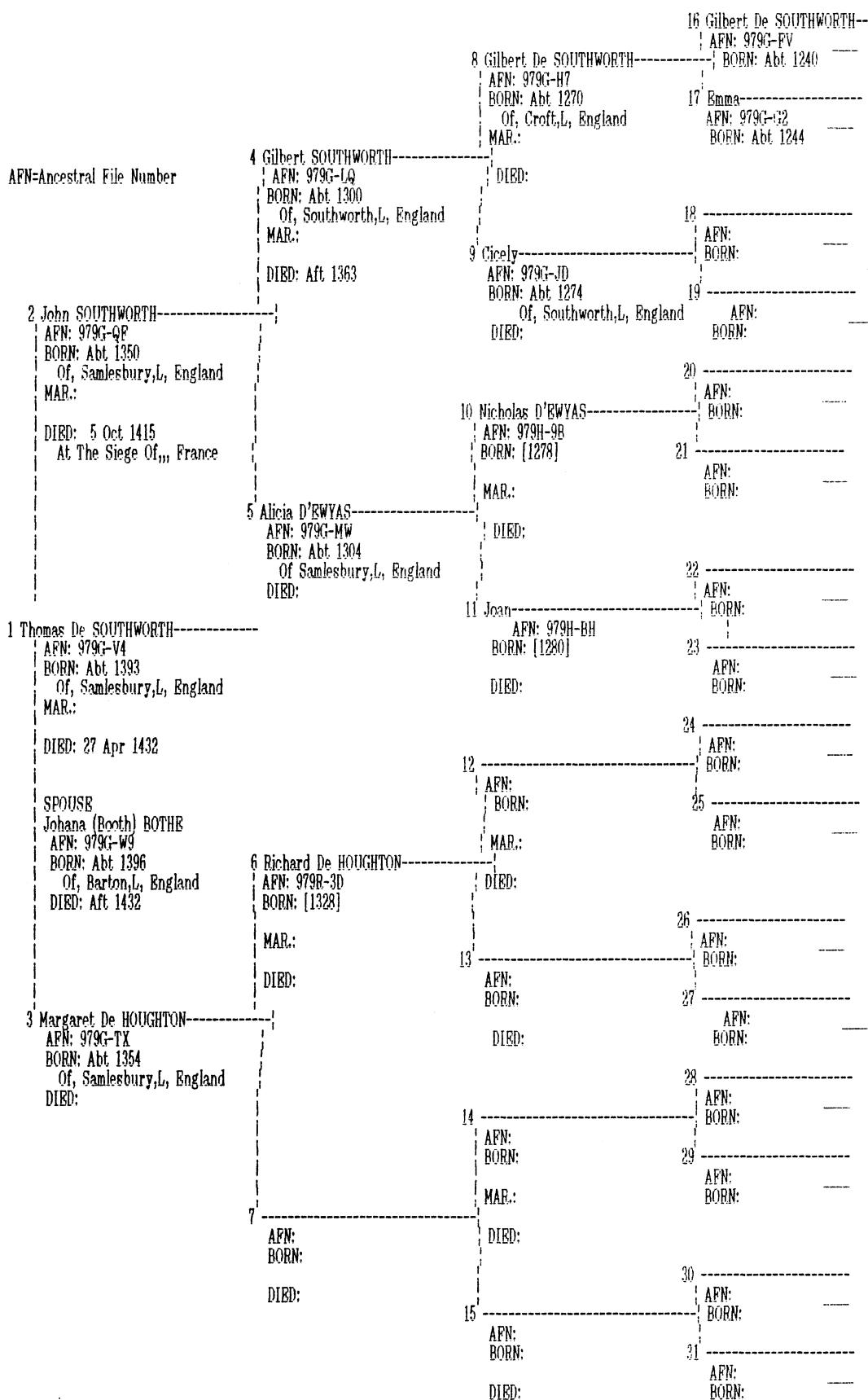
The committee having in charge the dedication of the Alden memorial fountain at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Rose orphan home has issued no formal invitations for the ceremony and it is expected that a large representation of the general public will be on hand to witness the ceremony and honor the memory of the man to whom the monument is dedicated. The fountain is a handsome piece of work and will be a fine ornament for the already pretty grounds that surround the home. The exercises will begin at 2 o'clock and Prof. C.R. Henderson, formerly of this city but now of the Chicago University, will make the principal address. All of the delegates to the conference of State Charities will attend and after the exercises at the Rose Home they will take cars for Glenn where they will inspect the new county orphan home.

(Copied from original newspaper account)

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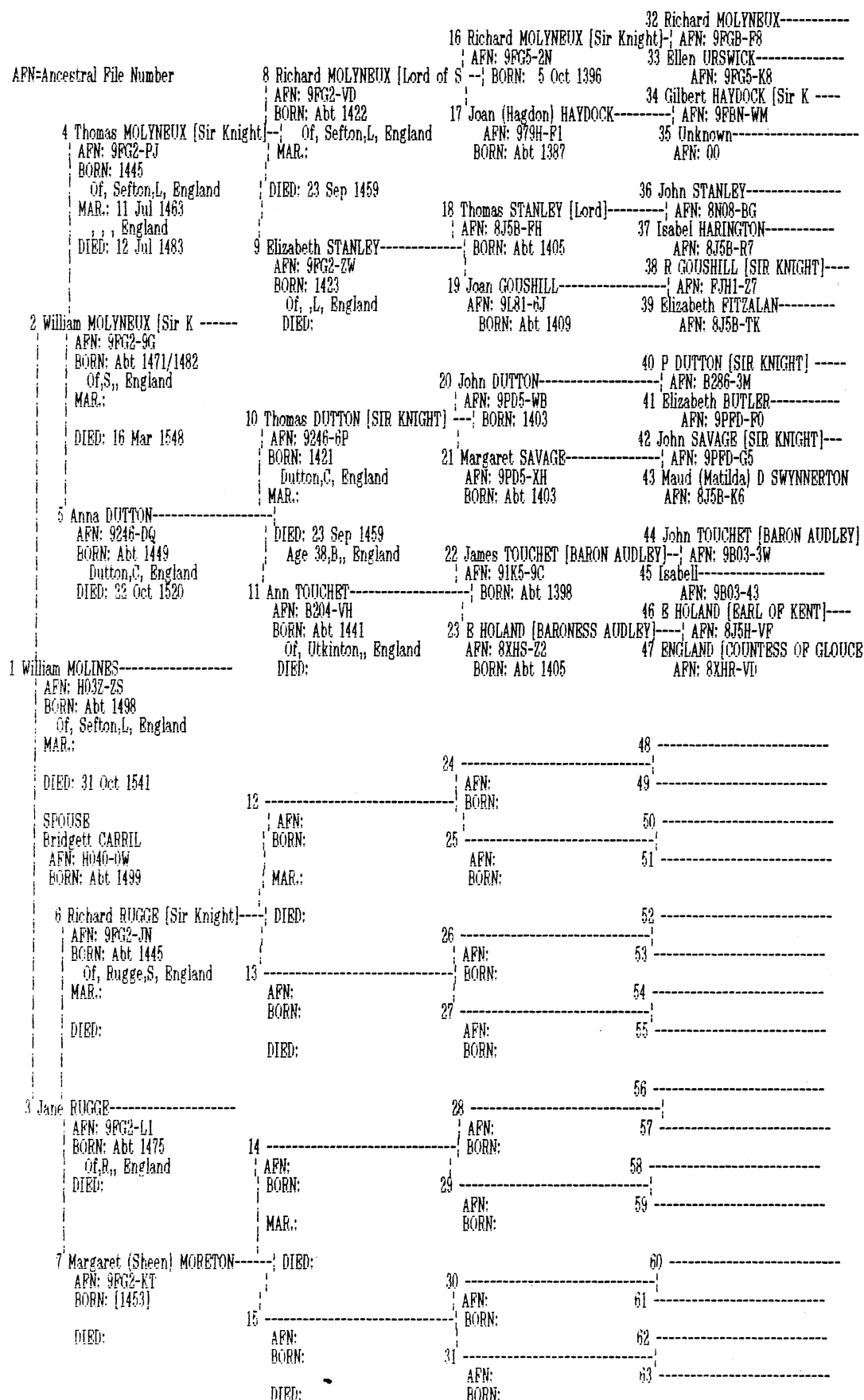
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Plymouth,P, MA	DIED: 1565			
	England			
3 Priscilla MULLINS		56 John ATWOOD	AFN: FVFO-1Q	
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BORN: 1601/1602	14 Nicholas ATWOOD	28 John Hewson ATWOOD	57 Mrs. Denes ATWOOD	
Of,D,, England	AFN: FLJS-KK	AFN: 9BCG-S6	AFN: FVFO-2W	
DIED: 1680/1687	BORN: 1539	BORN: 1509		
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	S,,, England	BORN: Abt 1505		
	DIED: 10 May 1586			
7 Alice ATWOOD		30 James HARMAN	60 Mr. HARMON	
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BORN: Jan 1574	AFN: 9BCG-MB	BORN: Abt 1528	61 Mrs. HARMON	
Of,S,,, England	BORN: Abt 1548		AFN: MJDG-GB	
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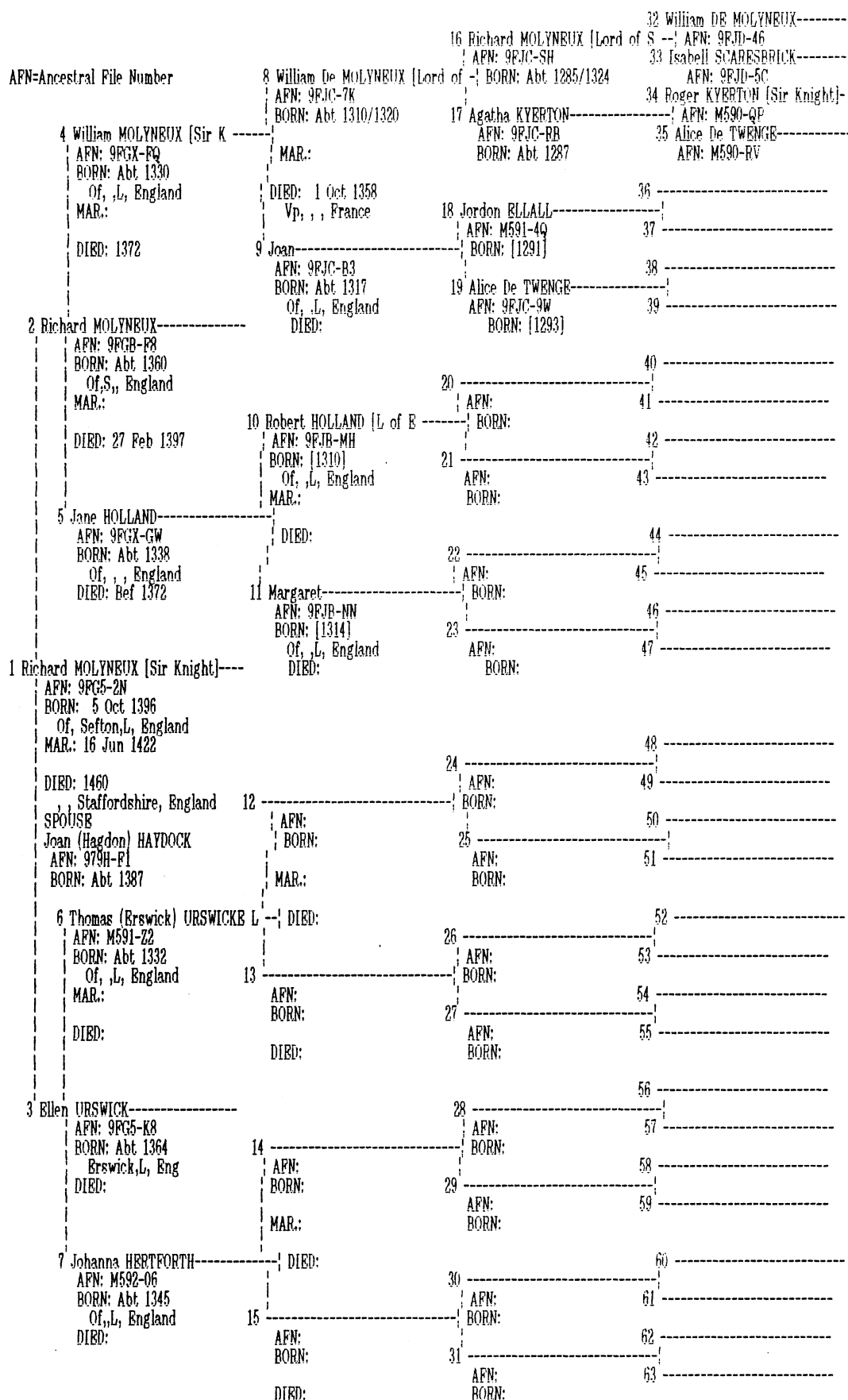
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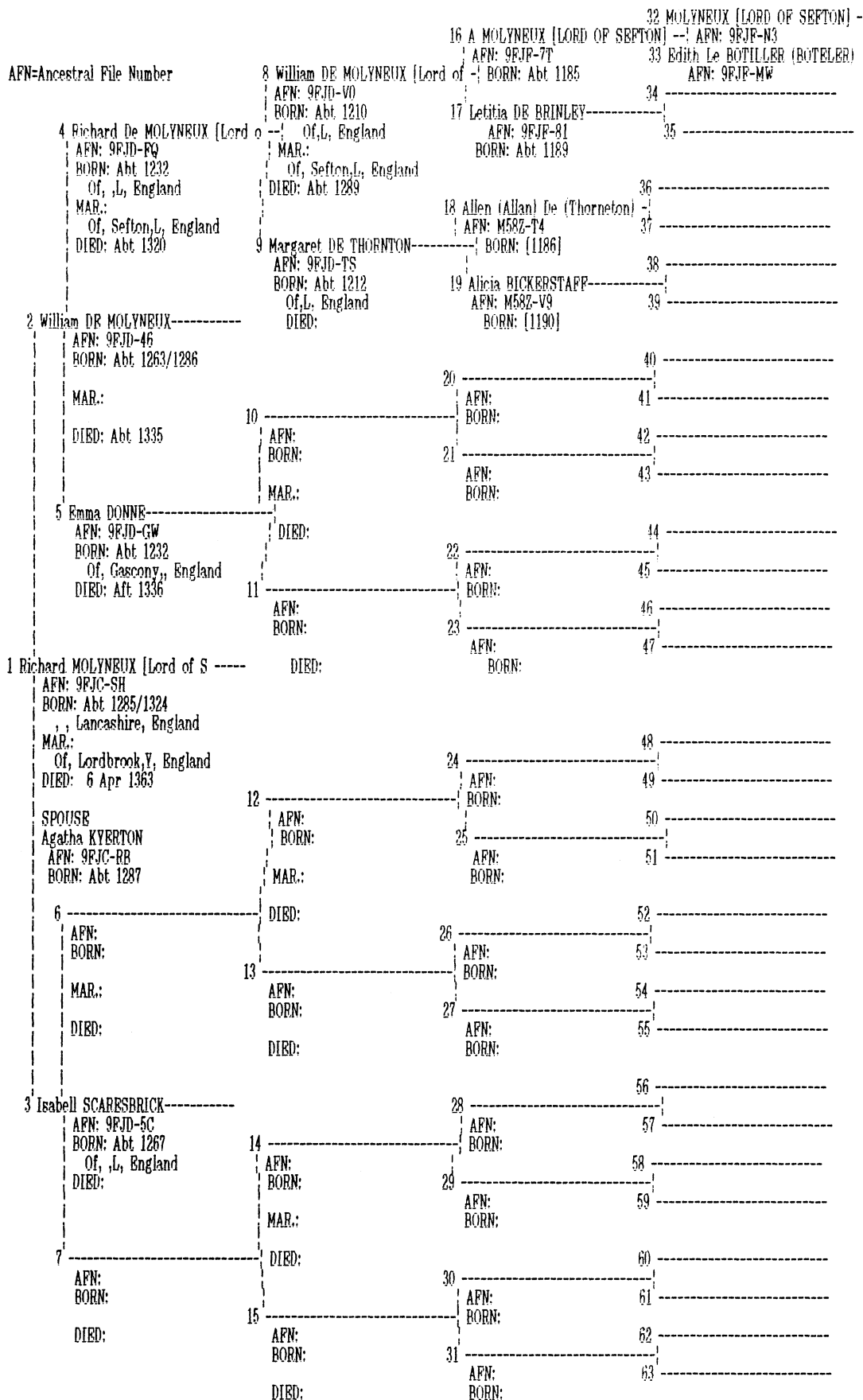
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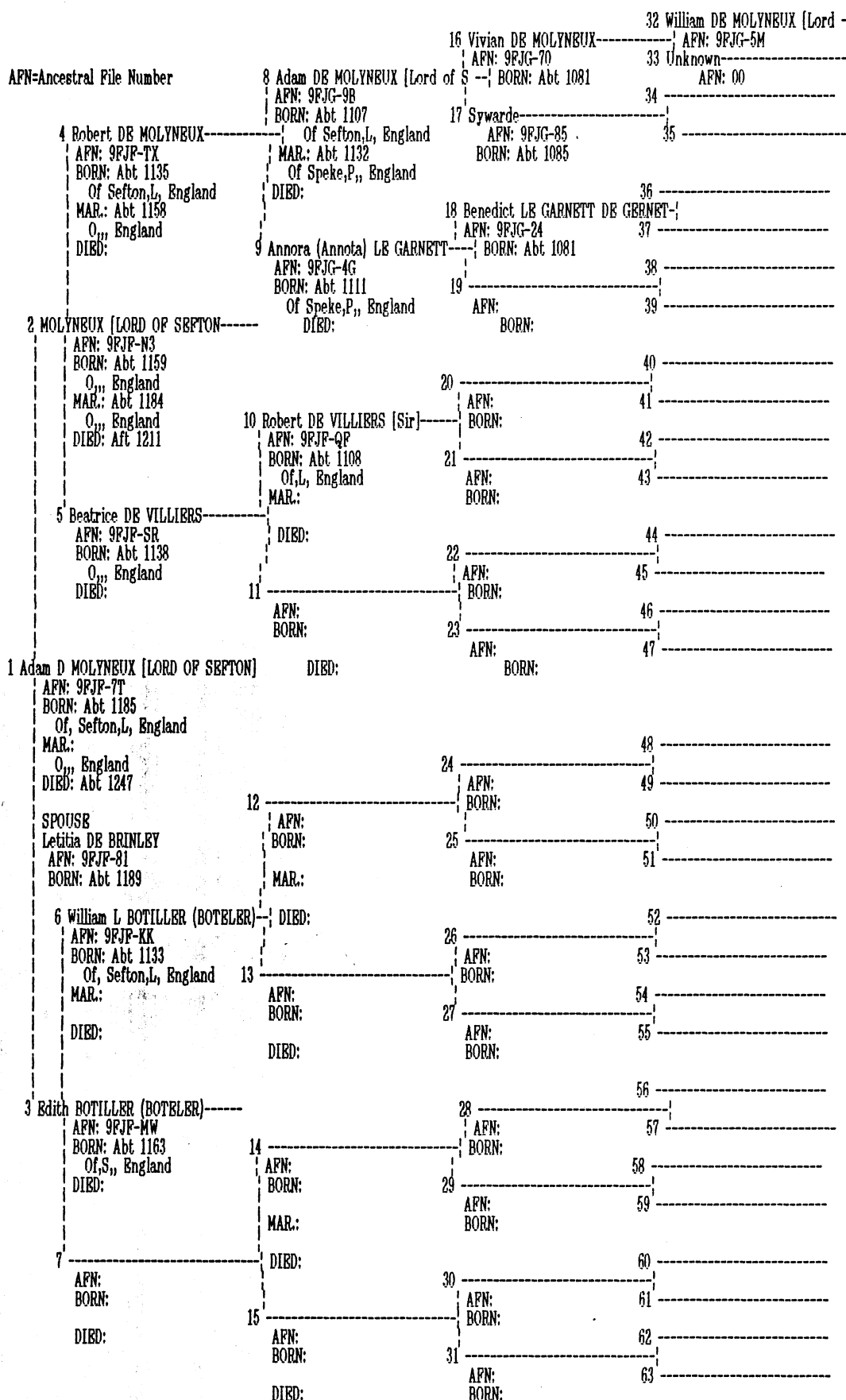
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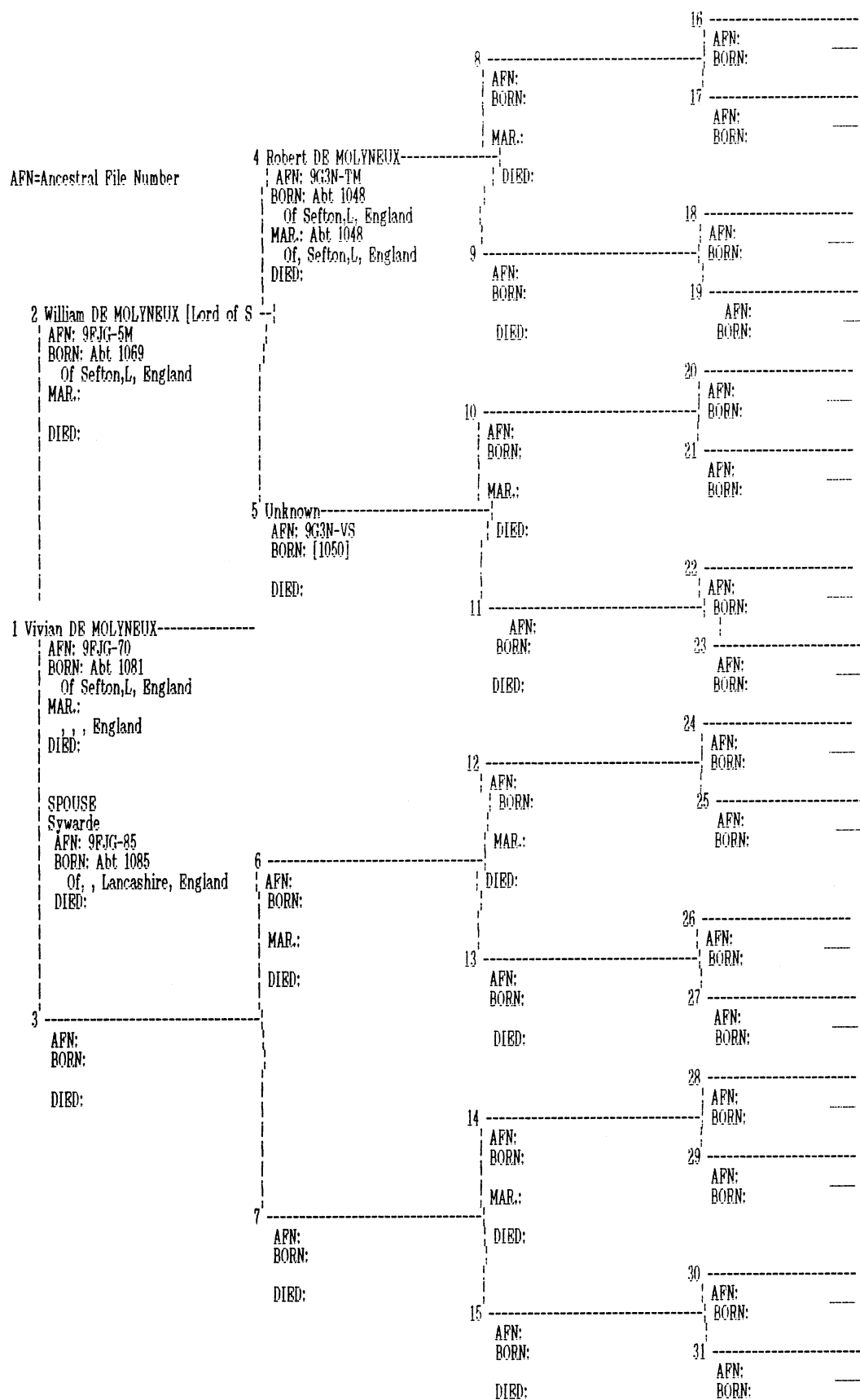
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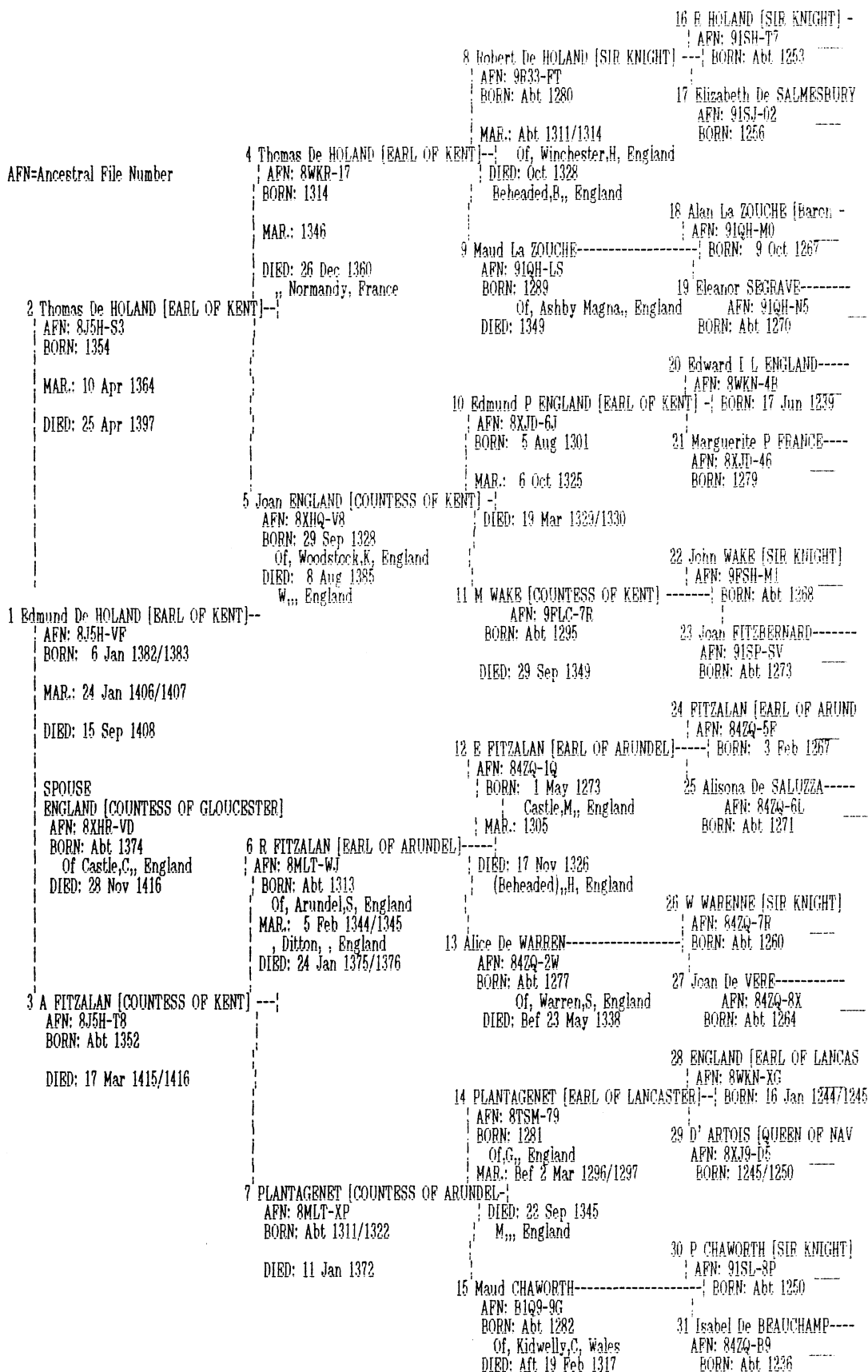
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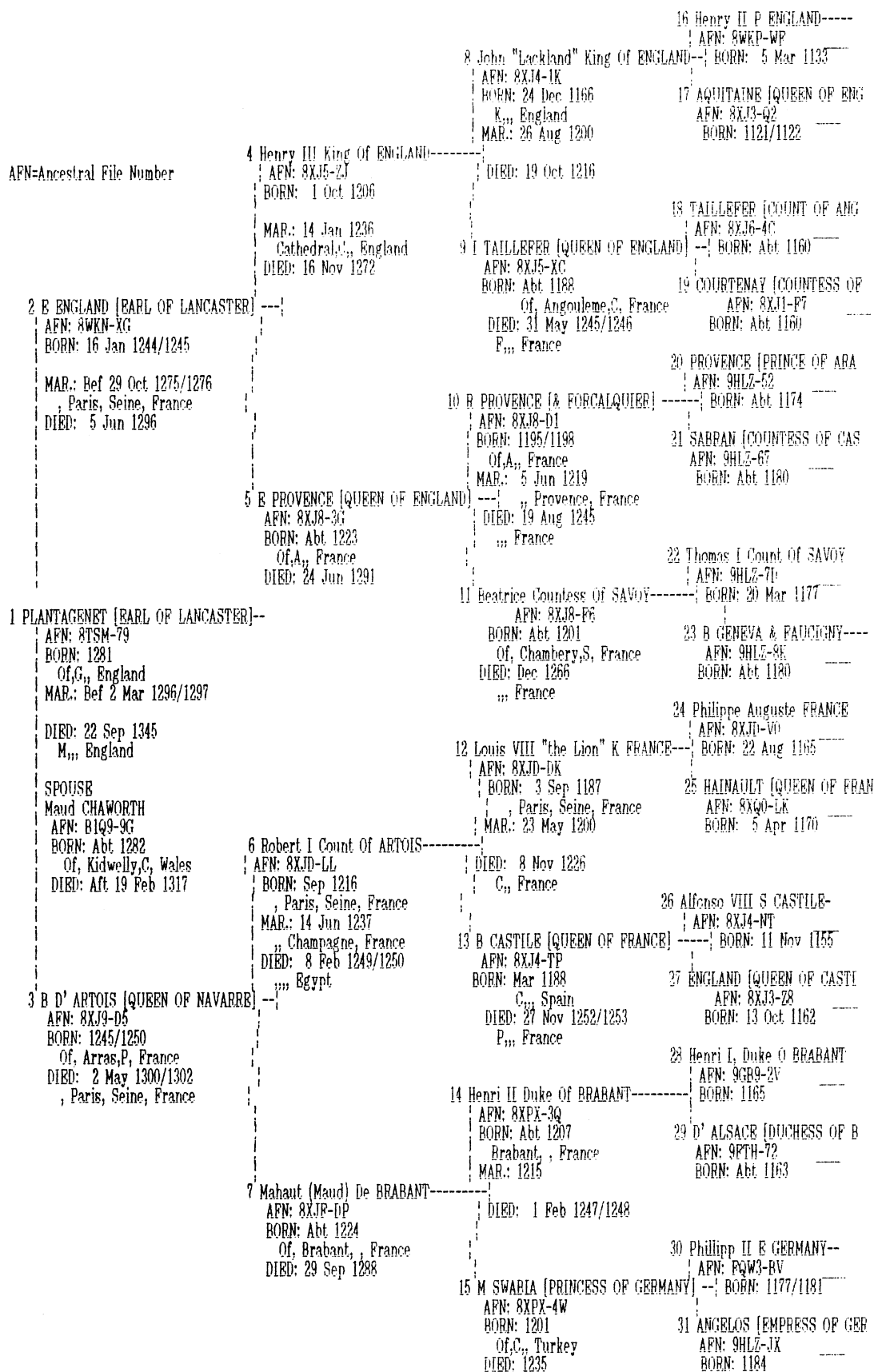
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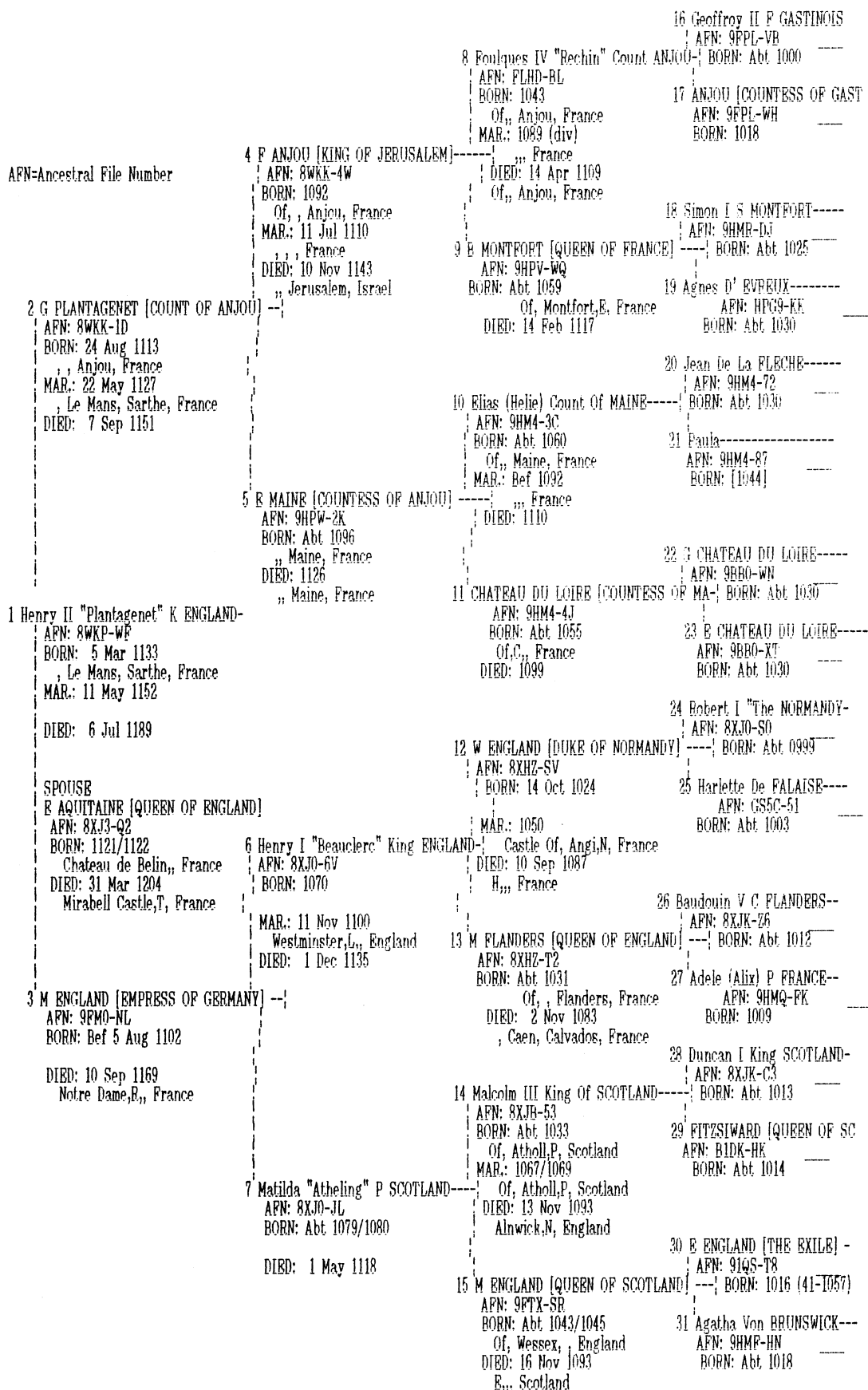
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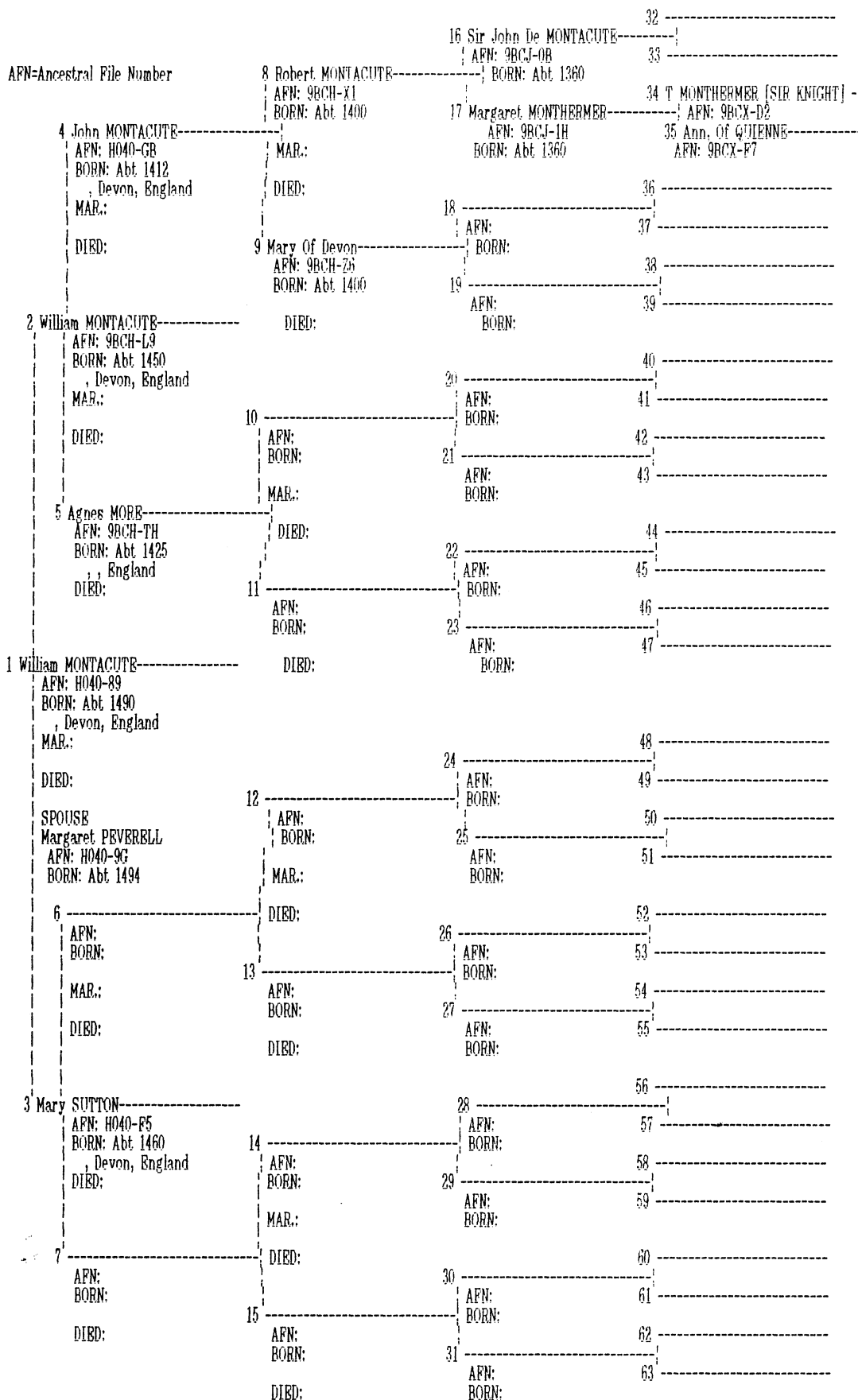
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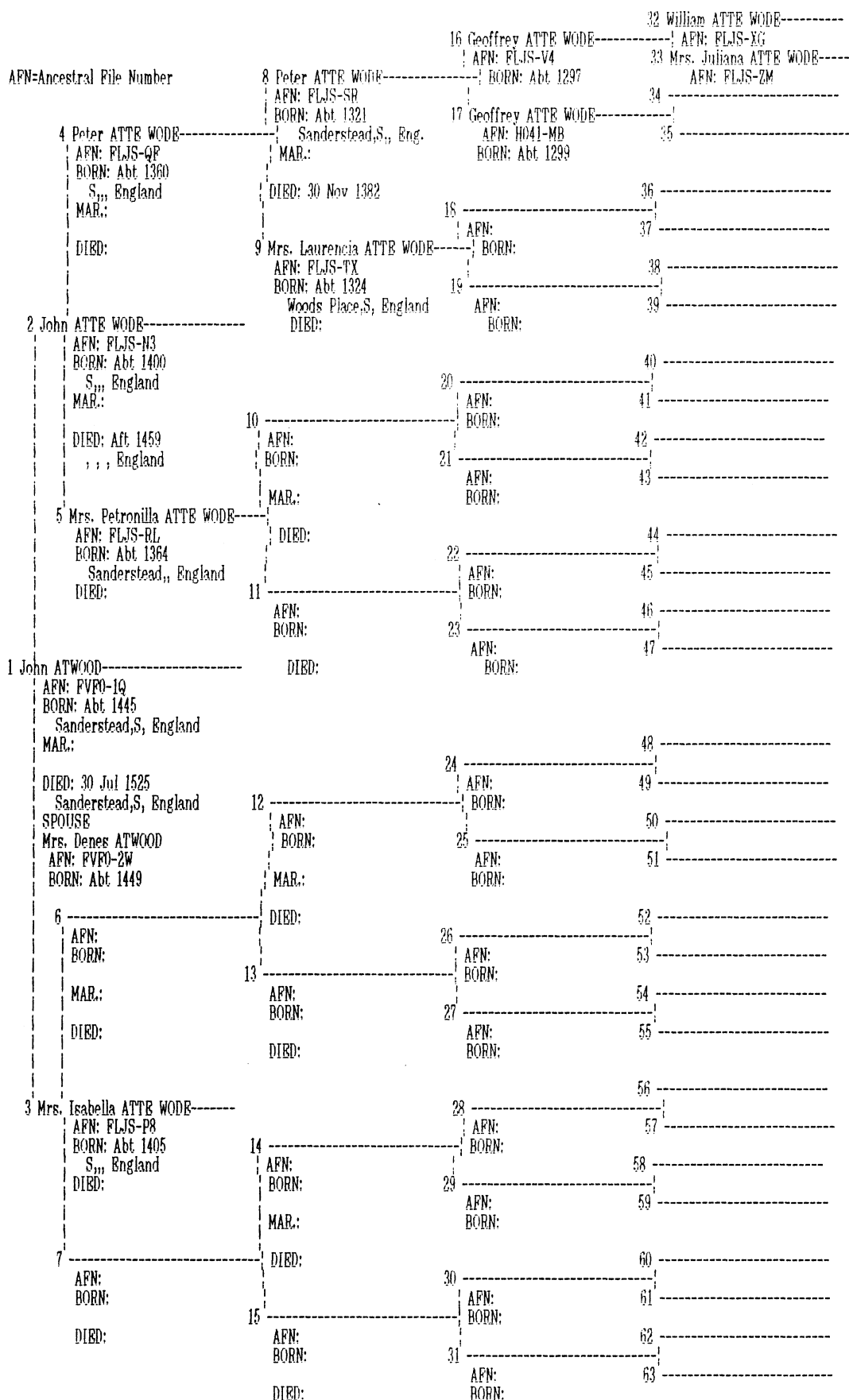
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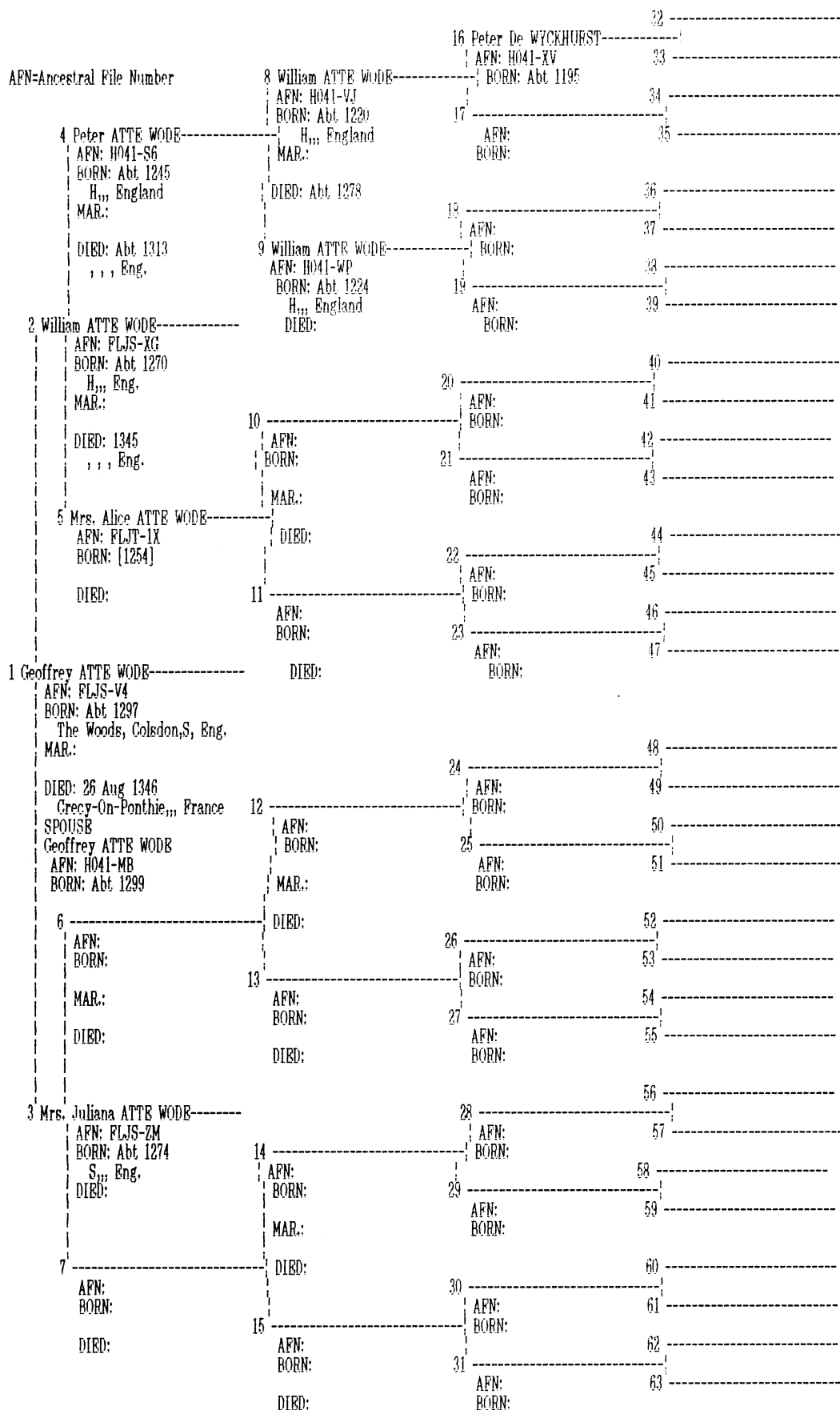
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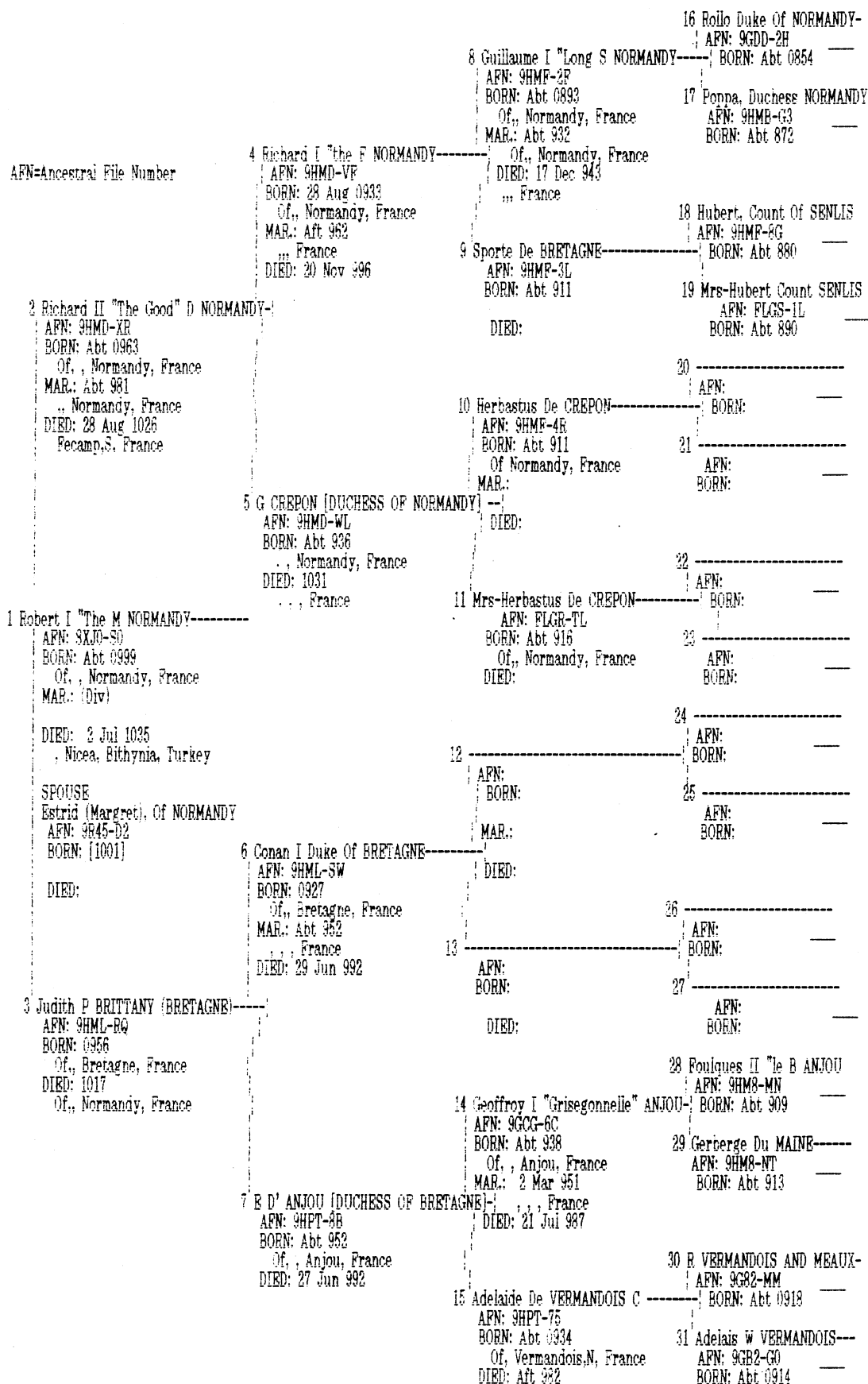
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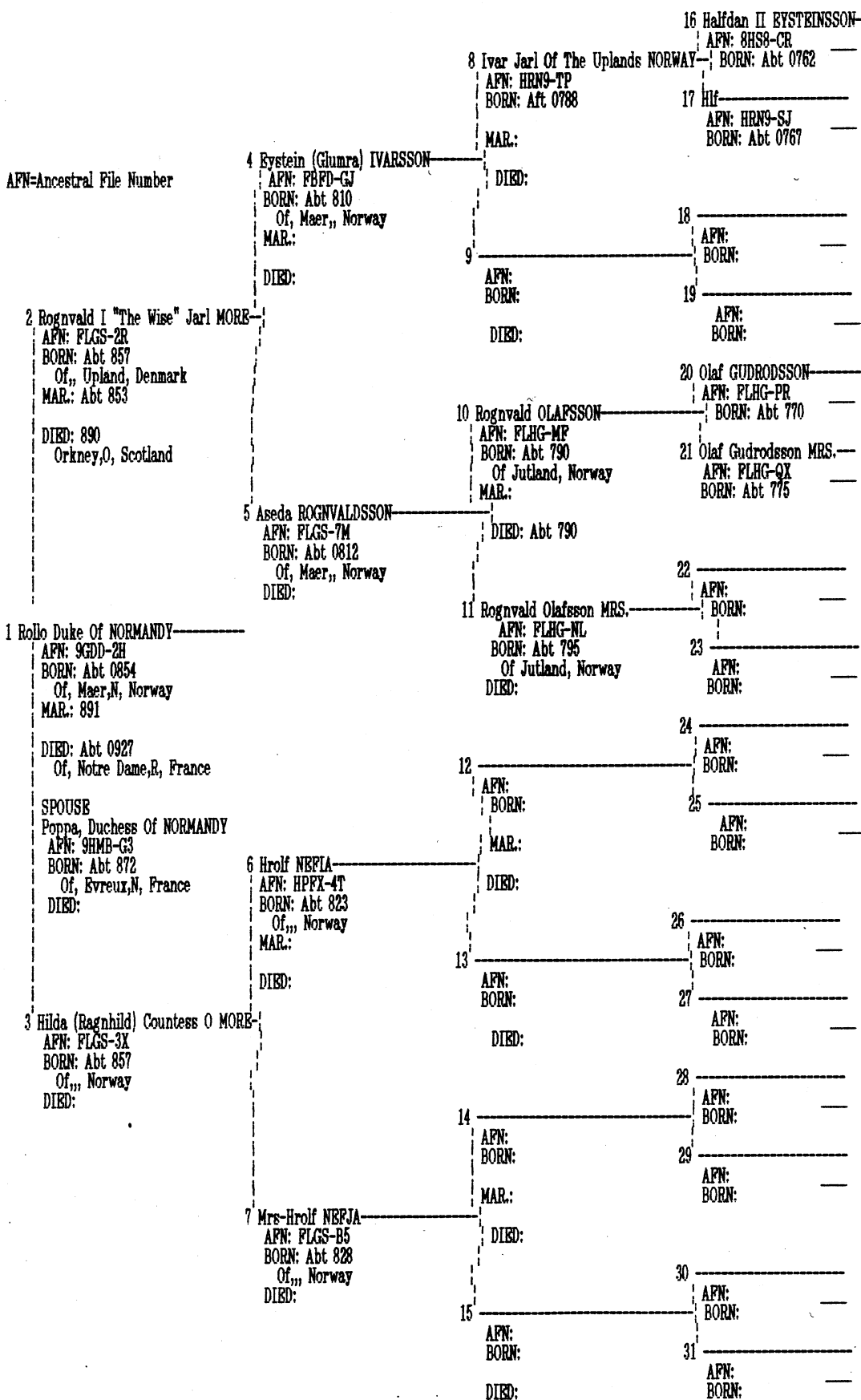
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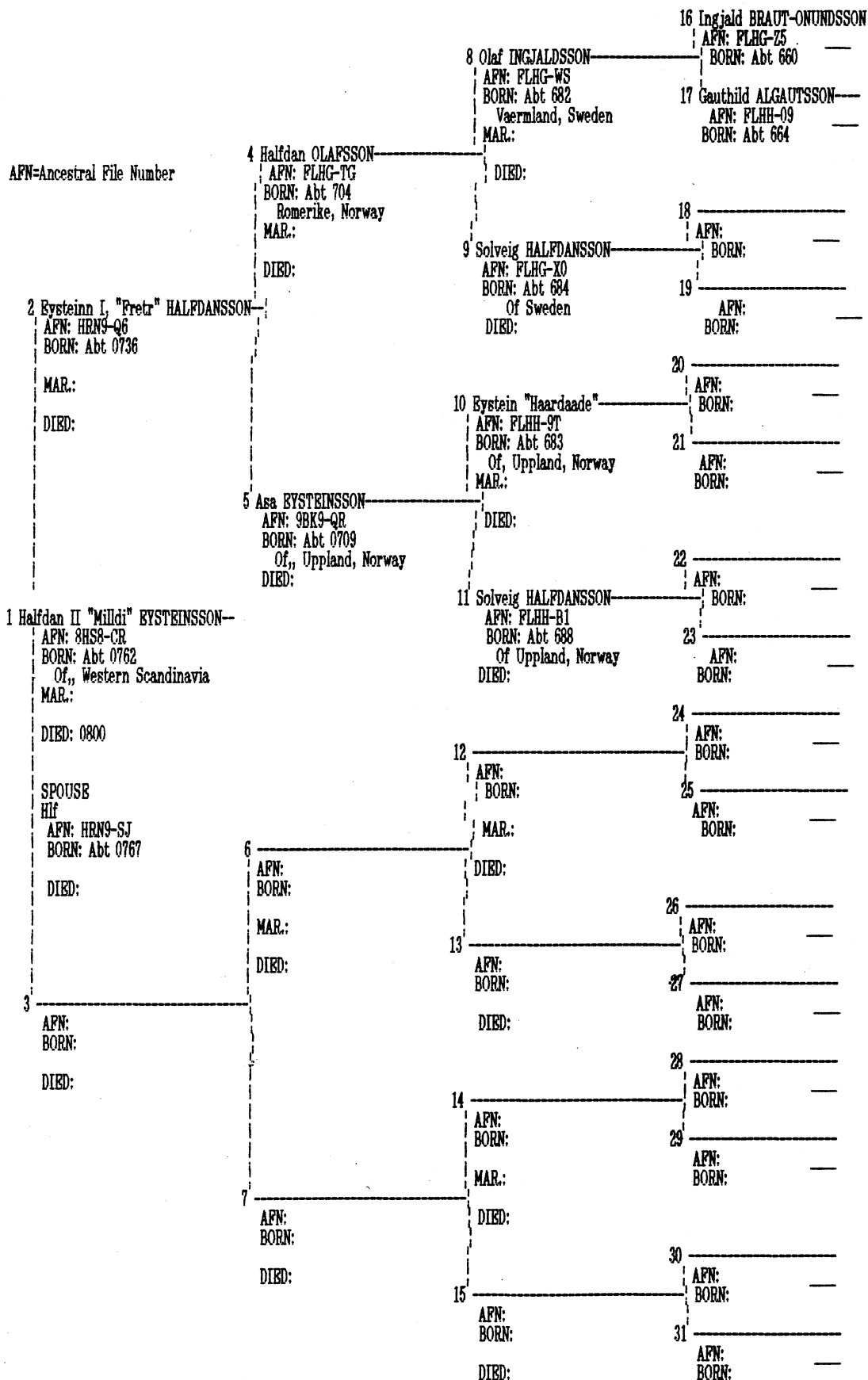
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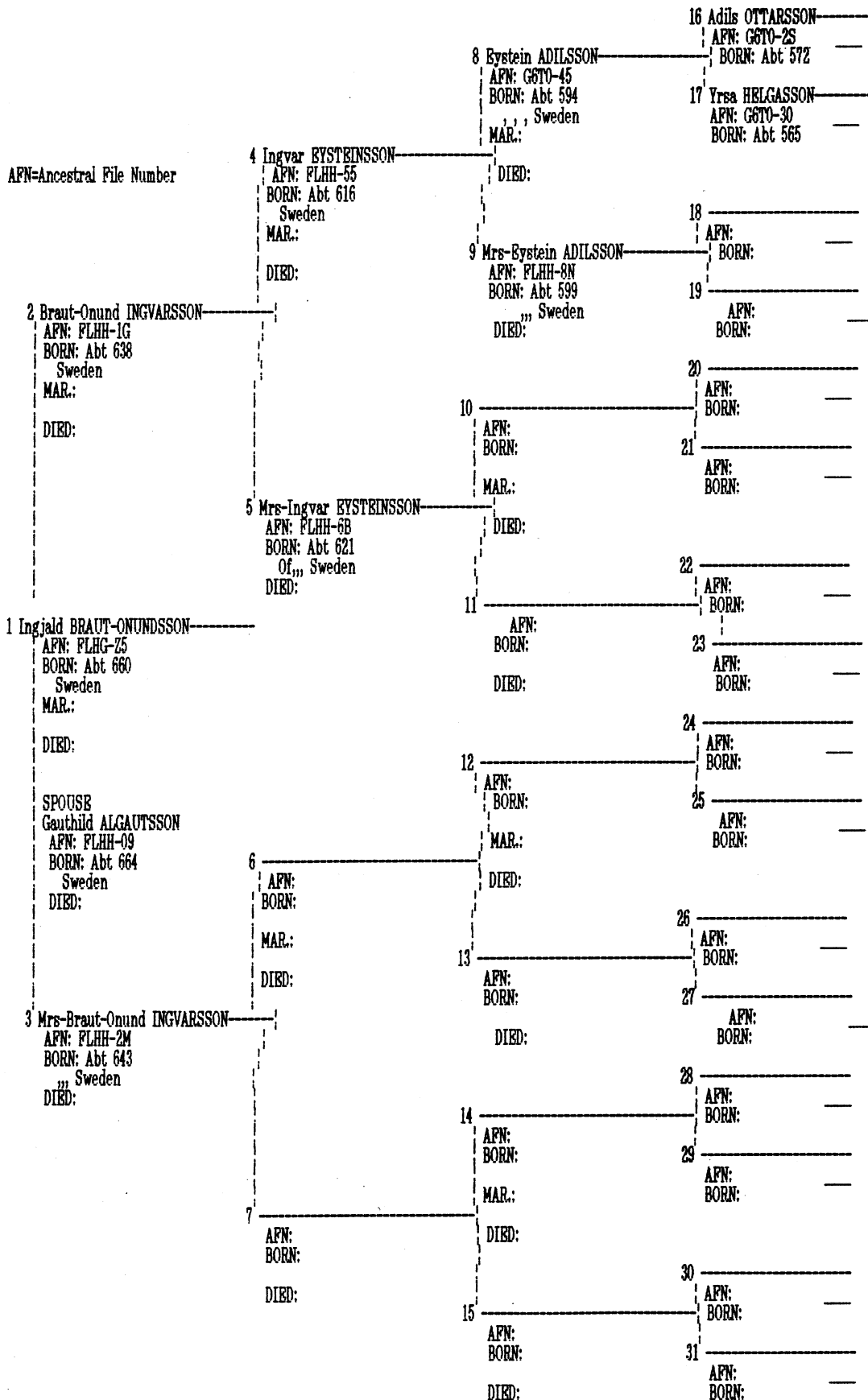
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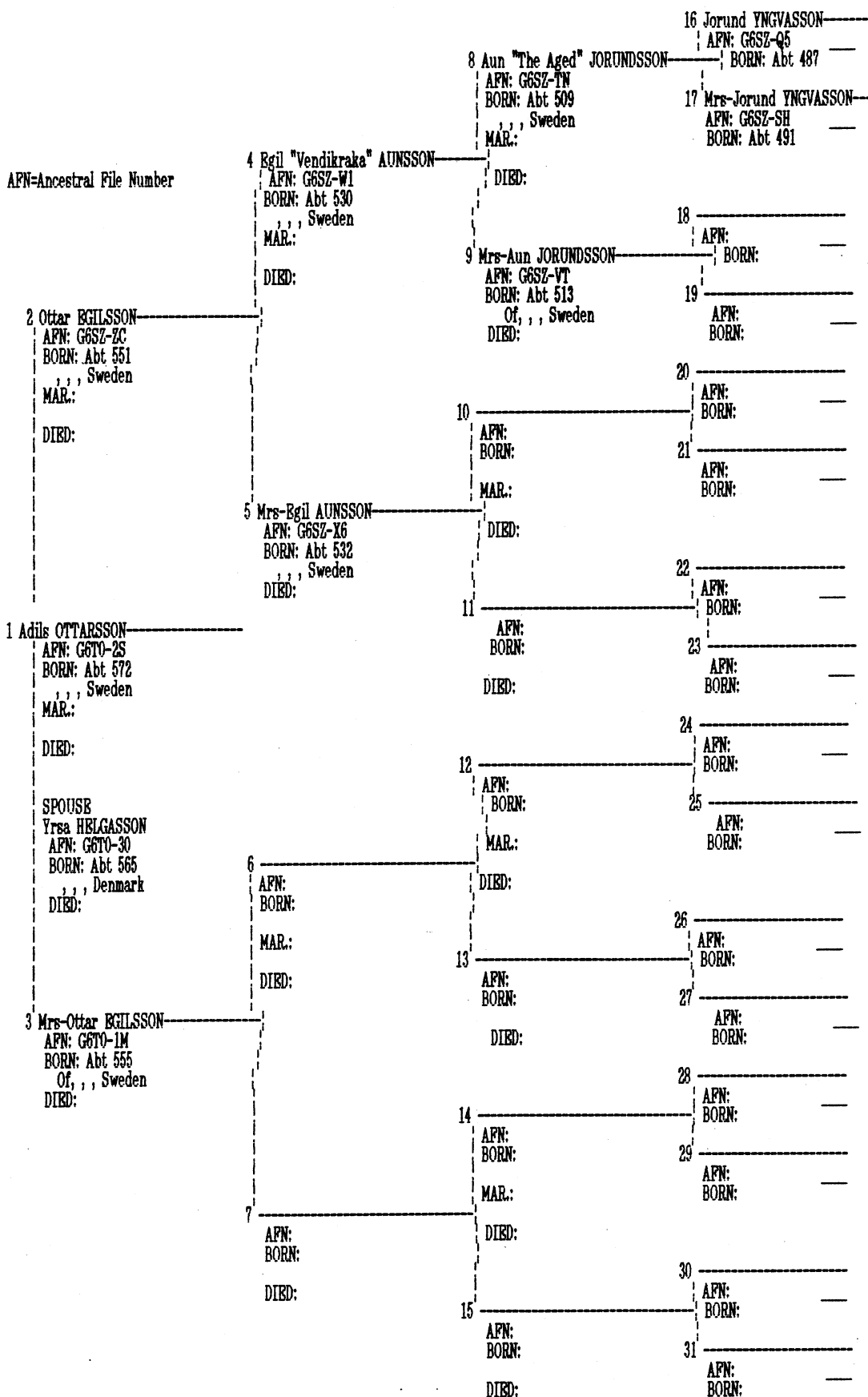


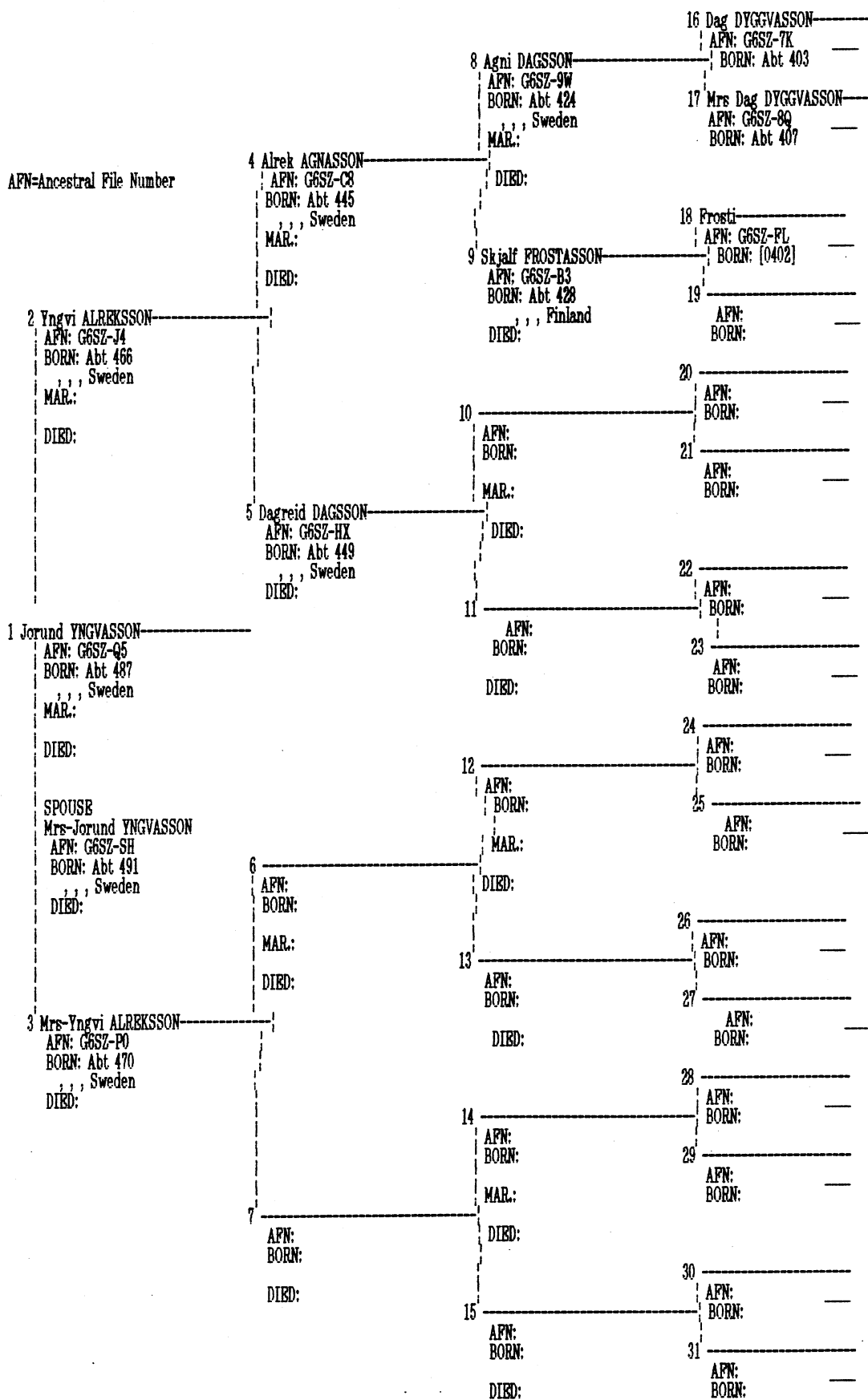
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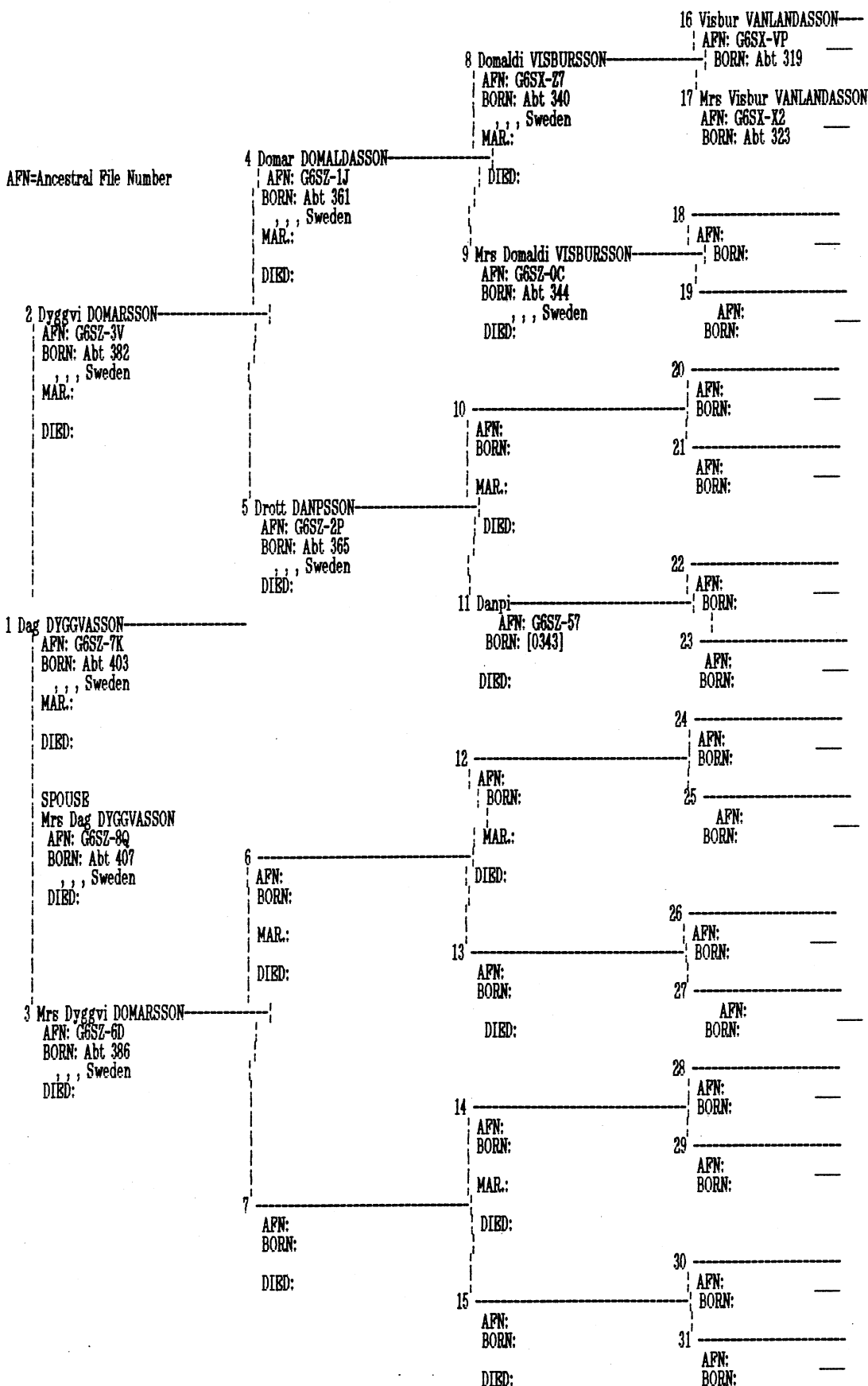


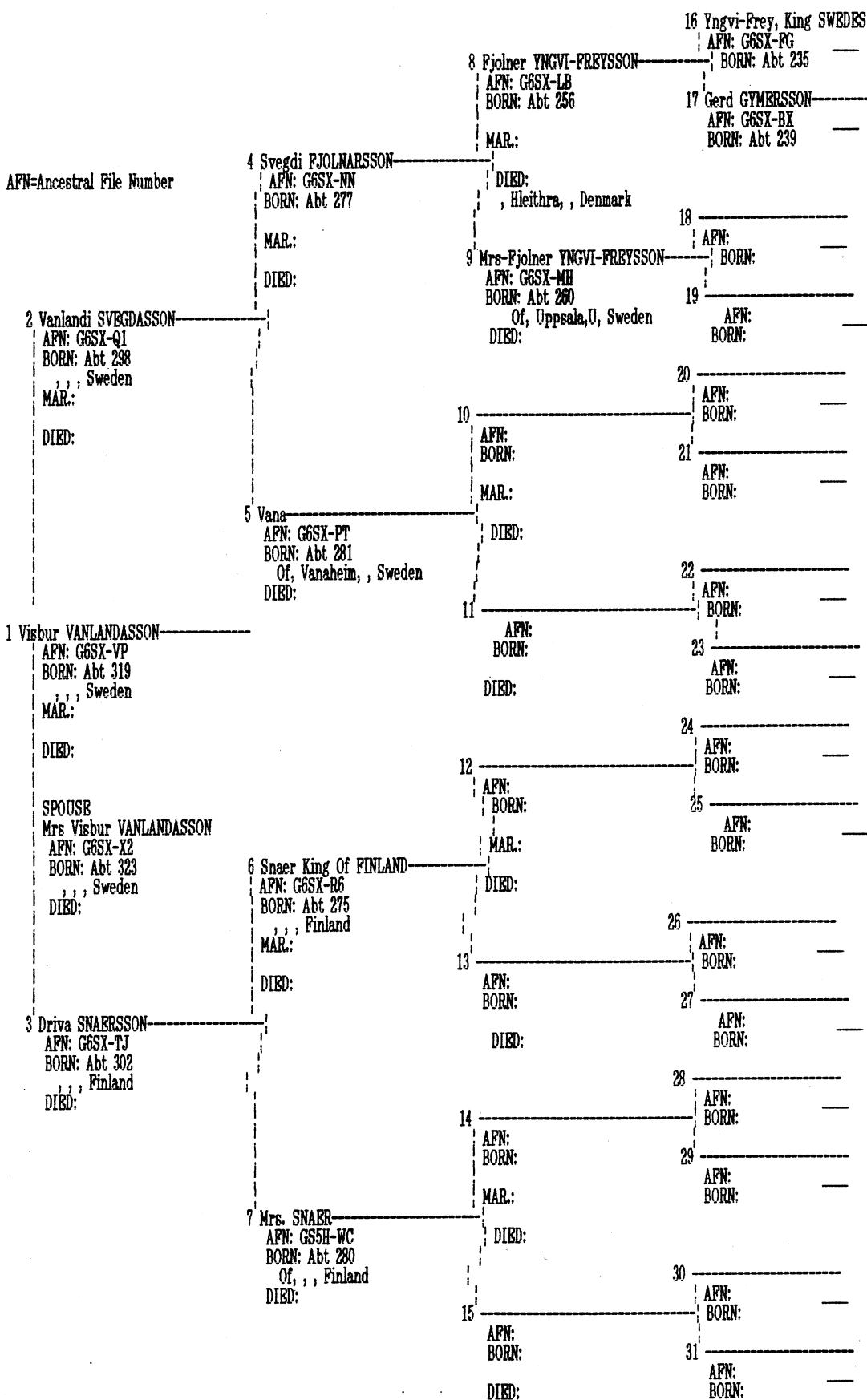
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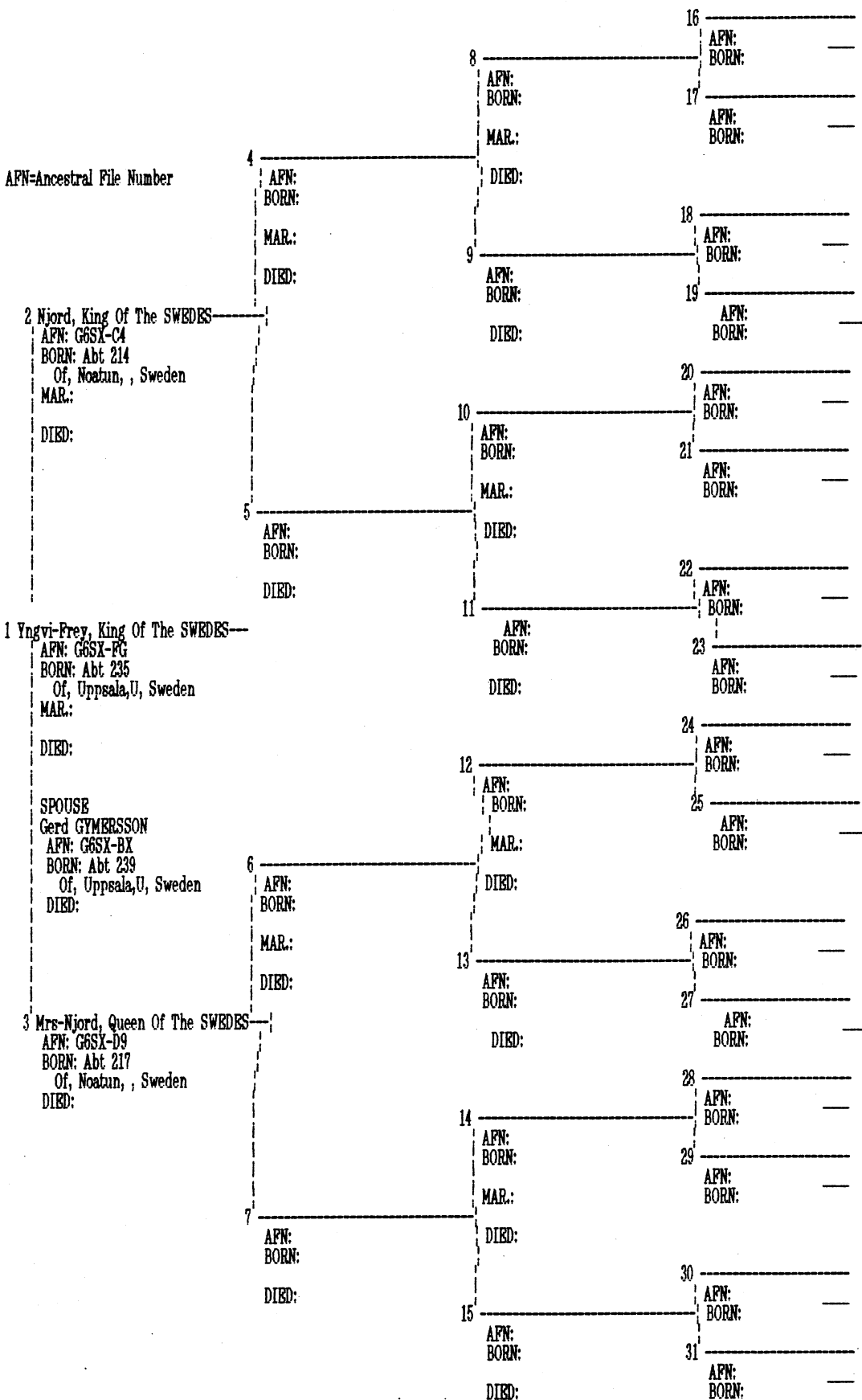
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- 1-- David ALDEN (3PPD-42) Born: Abt 1646 Duxbury, Plymouth, MA
 sp-Mary SOUTHWORTH (8J1H-93) Born: 1654 Duxbury, Plymouth, Mass.
- 2-- Sarah ALDEN (P4CD-0R) Born: [1671]
 2-- Henry ALDEN (MJJB-DT) Born: 1671
- 2-- Benjamin ALDEN (MJJB-JJ) Born: 1673 Duxbury, Plymouth, MA
 sp-Hannah BREWSTER (GS2L-3B) Born: 27 Aug 1689 Duxbury, Plymouth, Mass.
- 3-- Mary ALDEN (N7VX-ST) Born: 1 Jan 1710 Duxbury, Plymouth, Massachusetts
 3-- Sarah ALDEN (N7VX-T1) Born: 5 Apr 1712 Duxbury, Plymouth, Massachusetts
 3-- Elizabeth ALDEN (N7VX-V6) Born: 12 Sep 1714 Duxbury, Plymouth, Massachusetts
 3-- David ALDEN (BR4T-KP) Born: 14 Feb 1717 Duxbury, Plymouth, MA
 sp-Elizabeth THORNDIKE (2FJL-XW) Born: 5 Mar 1731 Falmouth, Cumb., ME
- 3-- Ichabod ALDEN (N7VX-WC) Born: 5 Oct 1719 Duxbury, Plymouth, Massachusetts
 3-- Bezaleel ALDEN (N7VZ-11) Born: 15 May 1722 Duxbury, Plymouth, Massachusetts
 sp-Lydia BARTLETT (N7VZ-26) Born: [1722]
- 3-- Wrestling ALDEN (N7VX-ZP) Born: 11 Oct 1724 Duxbury, Plymouth, Massachusetts
 3-- Abiathar ALDEN (N7VZ-OT) Born: 29 Jul 1731 Duxbury, Plymouth, Massachusetts
 sp-Mrs. Sarah ALDEN (S76M-FR) Born: [1731]
- 2-- Ruth ALDEN (MJPB-FJ) Born: 1674 Mass
 sp-Samuel SPRAGUE (G8Z0-4P) Born: 1669/1670 , Duxbury, Plymouth, Mass
 3-- Abiel SPRAGUE (PBF3-PR) Born: 10 Nov 1710 Rochester, , Massachusetts
 sp-Hannah GETCHELL (L2ZX-5G) Born: 22 Sep 1710 Salisbury, Essex County, Massachusetts
- 4-- James SPRAGUE (PBF3-PD) Born: 1746 Maine Or, , Massachusetts
 sp-Unknown UNKNOWN (PBF2-R0) Born: Abt 1750
- 5-- Patience SPRAGUE (PBF2-S5) Born: 1782 Calais, , Maine
 sp-John HASTY (PBF1-RT) Born: 1753 , , No. Ireland
- 5-- Jeremiah SPRAGUE (PBF6-2W) Born: 8 Dec 1786 Calais, , Maine
 sp-Catherine MORRISON (PBF6-33) Born: Abt 1797 Scotland
- 2-- Alice ALDEN (QPKV-QB) Born: 1675 Duxbury, Plymouth, MA
 sp-Judah PADDOCK (4JIV-8F) Born: 15 Sep 1681 Yarmouth Barns. Ma
- 3-- Reuben PADDOCK (HRPH-ML) Born: 27 Dec 1707 Barnstable Co., MA
 sp-Rebecca HAND (HRPH-NR) Born: Abt 1711
- 4-- Ebenezer PADDOCK (HRPH-9V) Born: 1740 MD
 sp-Keziah CASE (HRPH-HW) Born: 1754 NJ
- 5-- Henry PADDOCK (90RT-R3) Born: 24 Jan 1775 Westmoreland Co., PA
 sp-Mariam PAYNE (90RT-S8) Born: 22 Mar 1778 PA
- 5-- William PADDOCK (KX6Z-JV) Born: 1779
 sp-Sarah WATTS (KX6Z-K2) Born: 1780
- 5-- Ebenezer II PADDOCK twin] (KX6Z-L7) Born: 1783
 sp-Nancy FERGUSON (KX6Z-MD) Born: 1786
- 5-- John PADDOCK (KX6Z-NK) Born: 1785
 sp-Leatha FERGUSON (KX6Z-PQ) Born: [1785]
- 5-- Rebecca PADDOCK (KX6Z-TF) Born: 1787
 sp-Elijah PAYNE (KX6Z-QW) Born: [1787]
- sp-Athel FERGUSON (KX6Z-S8) Born: [1787]
- 5-- Sarah PADDOCK (KX6Z-WR) Born: 1789
 sp-James DRAKE (KX6Z-VL) Born: [1789]
- 5-- Catherine PADDOCK (KX6Z-Z4) Born: 1790
 sp-Jacob MATTOX (KX6Z-XX) Born: [1790]
- 5-- Rhoda PADDOCK (KX70-ID) Born: 1792
 sp-Jesse CASSEL (KX70-07) Born: [1792]
- 5-- Susan PADDOCK (KX70-3Q) Born: 1794

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- sp-James THOMPSON (KX70-2K) Born: [1794]
5-- Rachel PADDOCK (KX6S-P2) Born: 1796
2-- Elizabeth ALDEN (JWQ3-PP) Born: 9 Apr 1675 Duxbury, MA
sp-John SEABURY (JWQ3-NJ) Born: 7 Nov 1670 Duxbury, MA
3-- Patience SEABURY (JWQ4-68) Born: 5 May 1702 Of, New London, CT
sp-Joseph LATHAM (JWQ4-53) Born: Abt 1702 New London, New London, CT
4-- Elizabeth LATHAM (NFIJ-T6) Born: Abt 1726
sp-Edward CHAMPLIN (9CNX-CV) Born: 1720 Lyme, New London, Conn
5-- Elizabeth CHAMPLIN (NDPF-V4) Born: 28 Sep 1743
5-- Sarah CHAMPLIN (NDPF-W9) Born: 12 Jul 1745
5-- Mary CHAMPLIN (NDGV-GX) Born: 14 Mar 1747
sp-Samuel DENNISON (NDH2-HW) Born: 11 Mar 1742
5-- John CHAMPLIN (NDPF-ZM) Born: 1 Apr 1749
5-- Edward CHAMPLIN (NDG8-8F) Born: 3 May 1751
sp-Mary (NDG8-78) Born: Abt 1750
sp-Alice DYER (NDG8-9L) Born: [1751]
5-- Seabury CHAMPLIN (NDKJ-2S) Born: 4 Dec 1753
sp-Sarah PLIMATE (NDKJ-30) Born: [1753]
5-- Nabby CHAMPLIN (NDFG-24) Born: 3 May 1757
sp-Dan LEB (NDH2-X5) Born: 6 Feb 1758
5-- Caleb CHAMPLIN (NDGV-SN) Born: 20 Feb 1759 , Lyme, New London Co., CT
sp-Anna BLY (NDH2-LF) Born: 15 Sep 1764
5-- Rebecca CHAMPLIN (NDFG-4G) Born: 2 Mar 1761
5-- Fanny CHAMPLIN (NDGW-21) Born: 17 Jul 1763
sp-Oliver CHAPMAN [Deacon] (NDH2-PX) Born: 25 Jun 1756
5-- Lucretia CHAMPLIN (NDFG-6S) Born: 11 Apr 1766
5-- John CHAMPLIN (NDTQ-R3) Born: 28 Sep 1768
sp-Ann RAY (NDTQ-S8) Born: [1768]
4-- Abigail LATHAM (JWQ4-9R) Born: 9 Jun 1738 Of, Norwich, New London, Connecticut
sp-Isaac GRISWOLD (JWQ4-8L) Born: 3 Apr 1735 Of, Stratford, Fairfield, Connecticut
5-- Abigail GRISWOLD (LSV1-64) Born: 1 Nov 1761 Norwich, New London, Connecticut
sp-George DENNIS (LSV1-5X) Born: [1761]
5-- Elizabeth GRISWOLD (LSV1-8G) Born: 5 Feb 1764 Norwich, New London, Connecticut
sp-Paul SMITH (LSV1-79) Born: [1764]
5-- Patience GRISWOLD (LSQX-DG) Born: 28 Oct 1765 Norwich, New London, Connecticut
5-- Molly GRISWOLD (LSQX-FM) Born: 11 Apr 1768 Norwich, New London, Connecticut
5-- Lucretia GRISWOLD (LSV1-BS) Born: 21 Sep 1772 Norwich, New London, Connecticut
sp-Asa FARNHAM (LSV1-9M) Born: [1772]
5-- Sarah GRISWOLD (LSV1-D5) Born: 11 May 1776 Norwich, New London, Connecticut
sp-Edward AIKEN (LSV1-C0) Born: [1776]
5-- Isaac GRISWOLD (JWQ4-C4) Born: 26 Sep 1779 Norwich, CT
sp-Naomi BARBER (LSV1-GH) Born: [1779]
sp-Hulda DICKENSON (JWQ4-D9) Born: 17 Jan 1779 Pittsfield, Berkshire, MA
5-- Patience GRISWOLD (LSV1-JT) Born: 9 Nov 1781
sp-Ira BASCOM (LSV1-HN) Born: [1781]
2-- Priscilla ALDEN (8KDR-72) Born: 1676 Mass
sp-Samuel CHESEBROUGH (8KDN-2R) Born: 14 Feb 1674 Stonington, New London, Connecticut
sp-Samuel CHESEBROUGH (MJPB-HV) Born: [1679]
2-- Samuel ALDEN (QPKV-SN) Born: 1678 Duxbury, Plymouth, MA
sp-Sarah SPRAGUE (MJPB-NQ) Born: Abt May 1701
3-- Abigail ALDEN (S76M-KG) Born: [1715]

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David ALDEN (3PPD-42) Born: Abt 1646 Duxbury, Plymouth, MA

sp-Francis WINTER (S76M-J9) Born: [1715]

4-- Charlotte WINTER (S76M-RH) Born: 8 Apr 1781 Bath, ME

sp-John CLIFFORD (S76M-QB) Born: [1781]

4-- Abigail WINTER (S76M-P5) Born: 5 Sep 1785 Bath, ME

sp-David CLIFFORD [Jr.] (S76M-N0) Born: [1785]

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Alden Family

CHILD SAVING WAS HIS WORK

**Lyman P. Alden, Superintendent
of Rose Orphan Home,
Dies Suddenly.**

**WIDELY KNOWN AS
STUDENT OF CHILDREN**

**Was a Lineal Descendant of
John Alden of the May-
flower.**

The sudden death of Lyman P. Alden, superintendent of the Rose Orphan home, yesterday morning, was a shock to Terre Haute, which he was one of the best known citizens and universally esteemed.

Mr. Alden died at 11:15 a. m. at the office of the Terre Haute Electric company where his son Ernest G. Alden, the purchasing agent, has his office. A temporary oppressing and difficulty in breathing had caused Mr. Alden to stop to rest until relieved, but after sitting quietly for a few minutes, he fell back with a groan and died in a moment in the arms of his son, who had sprang to his assistance. The cause as given by Coroner Tabor was angina pectoris, of which there had been no premonitory symptoms, Mr. Alden being in his usual health and spirits up to the time of his sudden seizure.

It was a sad coincidence that Mr. Alden thus laid down his useful life and beneficent work on the anniversary of the day, January 2, 1883, on which he came to Terre Haute to take charge of the Rose Orphan home, to assist in the completion of the institution which was not opened until the September following.

Descendant of John Alder.

Lyman P. Alden, who was born at Floyd, N. Y., September 18, 1831, was the lineal descendant of John Alden of the Mayflower, being the eighth in descent, following Hon. John Alden, two Josephs, Eleazer, David, Isaac and Phiny, his father.

His father died while he was a small boy and, though his mother was left with but limited means, he was able to acquire that thorough education of

family early removed to Quincy, Ill. Mr. Alden taking a collegiate course at Marietta college in Ohio. At his graduation he was given the Greek and Latin orations and received his degree as bachelor of arts. It was his desire to become a missionary and he took a course at Lane Theologist seminary, but a failure of his voice and eyesight prevented his entering on the work of his choice. It was six years before he was able to read a book.

Failing to recover his health in Florida he returned to Illinois, where he purchased a prairie farm in Christian county. While it was being improved he was invited to take charge of the Du Quoin Female seminary, where he remained two years. Afterwards he was professor of languages in the La Grange Collegiate institution of Indiana.

Successful in Work.

Mr. Alden never engaged in any pursuit in which he was not thorough and successful, and in his next venture, in business, he attained great success. He removed to Coldwater, Mich., and engaged in the manufacture of barrels, staves and heading, building up a large business. He moved to Quincy, Mich., and the firm of Alden, Sutton & Co., of which Willard Kidder, Mr. Alden's brother-in-law, also was a member, created an extensive manufacturing enterprise, establishing a branch and a general store, and doing a very large business. At this time Mr. Alden organized the Northwestern Stave Manufacturers' association, composed of forty leading manufacturing concerns in six states. He was the secretary for three years of the organization, which contributed much to the success and prosperity of its members.

In Charge of Michigan School.

In 1875 Mr. Alden decided to sell his manufacturing interests, retaining those in the general store, to accept the superintendency of the Michigan State Public School for Dependent Children at Coldwater. This was the first institution of the kind in the country, and it has served as the model for many others, including our own Rose Orphan home and the Vigo County Home for Dependent Children. The Coldwater school and its superintendent acquired an international reputation, Mr. Alden often receiving letters of inquiry from European countries and many from different parts of the union. It can be said that Mr. Alden laid down the foundation principles for this line of work for saving children, and he ever has been recognized as an authority in the beneficent work which has employed his time and energies and filled his heart for the last twenty-eight years.

Married in 1862.

Mr. Alden was married in 1862, at Geneseo, Ill., to Miss Lena Kidder, sister of Willard Kidder, who survives him, with their three children, Miss Lena Eva Alden, Mrs. John E. Sulger, wife of the Rev. John E. Sulger, and Ernest G. Alden. Two sisters also survive, in Mrs. Alma Beach of Rome.

later united with the Congregational church. The new church of that order in Terre Haute is in a good sense his memorial, so much has he done to sustain the church in past years by his personal labor and contributions, and to build that new church.

About twenty years ago the most prominent member of that church was Lucius Ryce, who, on a Christmas morning, fell dead in his pew. The good man who, in the light of the new year, fell dead yesterday came nearest to filling the large place of Mr. Ryce as a religious and social force in the Congregational church.

Man of Pronounced Culture.

Mr. Alden, as a member of the Terre Haute Literary club, showed, as he did everywhere, his uniform thoroughness and grasp of whatever he touched. Indeed, his culture was very broad and his knowledge extensive. He had an enthusiastic interest in literature, art and music and there were few subjects he was not informed upon. Life was earnest to him but he was very cheerful, gentle to his wards, lovable to his family and kindly thoughtful of his friends.

The last night of his life, at a family gathering at Millard Kidder's, New Year's night, had been especially bright and animated, Mr. Alden joining in the merriment with almost boyish gaiety.

The first thought of every one, as the news of Mr. Alden's death spread, was of the excellence of the life that was ended, and of surprise, that one so active and pert in thought had passed his three score and ten. His eye was not dim, nor his natural force abated, as he went out from the new year to face the light of the endless years. Knowing what he had been, of the well ordered life, so painlessly ended, the wish must have been common, "May I die the death of the righteous and my last end be like his."

HIS DEATH A LOSS TO THE COMMUNITY

Judge Davis Pays a Tribute to L. P. Alden, a Co-Worker With Him in Charity.

Judge Sidney B. Davis said last night that the Society for Organized Charities and the board of children's guardians felt deeply the loss of their co-worker, L. P. Alden. "Mr. Alden took a great interest in all phase of children's work," said Judge Davis, "and he was a thorough and capable man in his line. He was in entire sympathy with charity work and met with remarkable success in all that he undertook. He had a peculiar disposition, understanding the child nature as few men do. Results characterized his efforts and many of the children who came under his care have done well in the world. His guest only yesterday was Miss Elinore Franklin, a writer of wide reputation, who is doing special work for eastern periodicals. He took pride in lifting his charges to a high plane of living and action."

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THE ALDEN HALL OF FAME

Descendants of JOHN ALDEN who have achieved sufficient prominence to be included in some published work of biography. Each month we present items on one contemporary ALDEN and one from past history. The series so far has included, among others, Carlos Coolidge Alden, Joseph Trumbull, John DeQuedville Briggs, Benjamin Wisner Bacon, James Alden, Alfred Ernest Wilkinson and Walter Taylor Field.

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NORMAN STAUNTON DIKE

Judge. Born in Brooklyn, N.Y., and received his preparatory education at Polytechnic Institute, Brooklyn, going on to Brown University, where he was awarded the Ph.B. degree in 1885 and LL.D. in 1933. Earned his LL.B. from Columbia Law School in 1887. Married Evelyn Moore Biddle of Philadelphia in 1917, and has a son. He was admitted to the New York Bar in 1887; elected a member of the Board of Supervisors of Kings County, N.Y., in 1894, and was president pro tem in 1896; appointed Sheriff of Kings County by Governor Odell in 1902; served as County Judge in Kings County 1906/19, and as Justice of the Supreme Court of New York, Second Department, 1920/33. Immediately upon his retirement as Justice of the Supreme Court, he was appointed by the Appellate Division, Second Department, as Official Referee. He was a Lieut.-Col. on the staff of Governor Morton, 1895/6. He is a member of the American, New York State and Brooklyn Bar Associations, Psi Upsilon, Society of Colonial Wars, Sons of the Revolution, Society of the War of 1812, Republican Party and Congregational Church. His clubs include Union, University, Piping Rock and Bar Harbor. His home is in New York City. (Based on article in Who's Who in America, 1938/9). He is a descendant of Francis Cooke of the MAYFLOWER. His double line of ALDEN descent (from Descendants of David Thomas and Edward Hazen, by Thomas Scott, 1909, and Mayflower Index) follows:

1	John Alden	m	Priscilla Mullins	1	John Alden	m	Priscilla Mullins
2	Joseph Alden	m	Mary Simmons	2	Joseph Alden	m	Mary Simmons
3	John Alden	m	Hannah White	3	Sarah Alden	m	Joseph Crossman
4	Mary Alden	m	Noah Thomas	4	Abigail Crossman	m	Caleb Tomson
5			Elias Thomas	5	Sylvia Thompson		
6			Polly Thomas	6	Gen. Phineas Stanton		
7	Maria Vredenburg		Stanton	7	David Scott		
8			Jeannie Deans Scott	8	Camden Crosby		Dike
9			Norman Staunton Dike,				the subject of this sketch.

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No. 137

CHARLES HENRY ALDEN

Architect. Born in Hingham, Mass. Attended the University of Minnesota and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, receiving his B. S. in Architecture from the latter in 1890. Began practice in Boston, 1897; then went west and served with the Alaska Yukon Exposition, the University of Washington, the Panama-Pacific Exposition and has been in private practice at Seattle, Washington, since 1909. He was in the Massachusetts National Guard, 1891/00, and was commissioned a Captain in the Officers' Reserve Corps of the U. S. Army in 1917, serving as Supply Officer of the 311th Sanitary Train, as Assistant Depot Quartermaster at Boston, as Assistant Quartermaster of the 6th Army Corps, and as Supply Officer and Assistant to the Engineer in charge of Construction of the American Embarkation Center at Le Mans, France. In 1931, he was promoted to Colonel in the Auxiliary Reserve. He is a member of the Seattle Zoning Commission, the Building Code Revision Commission, Fine Arts Society of Seattle (of which he was President), Pacific Northwest Academy of Arts, Military Order of the Loyal Legion, Municipal League of Seattle (of which he is a director), and Chi Psi Fraternity. He was State Chairman of the Public Works of Art Project, 1933/4; trustee of the Seattle Traffic and Safety Council, 1937; president of the North Pacific division, and formerly national director of the Architects' Small House Service Bureau. He is a Fellow of the American Institute of Architects and President of the Washington Chapter. He is an Episcopalian and a member of the University and Cosmos Clubs; is unmarried and resides at the University Club of Seattle, Washington, having an office in the Arcade Building in that city. (Based on article in Who's Who in America, 1940/1). At the invitation of our Absentee Member Harry Forrest Willey, he has recently become a member of the Society of Mayflower Descendants, and his double ALDEN lineage (from "Eliab Alden; His Alden Ancestors and Descendants", compiled by his father, the subject of the succeeding sketch) is as follows:

1 John Alden	m	Priscilla Mullins	1 John Alden	m	Priscilla Mullins
2 Joseph Alden	m	Mary Simmons	2 Joseph Alden	m	Mary Simmons
3 John Alden	m	Hannah White	3 John Alden	m	Hannah White
4 Joseph Alden	m	Hannah Hall	4 David Alden	m	Hannah Paddleford
5 Eliab Alden	m	Mary Hathaway	5 Abigail Alden	m	Zephaniah Leonard
			6 Clarissa Leonard	m	Rev. Henry Wight
6 Rev. Charles Henry Alden			7 Alice Burrington Wight		
7 Brig.-Gen. Charles Henry Alden	m		Katharine Russell Lincoln		
8 Charles Henry Alden			the subject of this sketch.		

No. 138

CHARLES HENRY ALDEN

Brigadier-General, U. S. A. Born in Philadelphia, Penn., in 1836, and received his A.M. degree at Brown University in 1856 and his M.D. at Pennsylvania Medical College in 1858. He entered the Medical Department of the United States Army in 1859, and was President of the Army Medical School at Washington, 1893/00. He was also President of the Association of Military Surgeons of the United States, and was Assistant Surgeon-General of the United States. In 1900, he retired from active service for

age, and in 1904 was promoted to Brigadier-General on the retired list. He received an honorary M. D. from the University of Pennsylvania in 1901, and was a Correspond-Fellow of the New York Academy of Medicine and a member of the American Medical Association, the American Public Health Association, the American Climatological Association, the American Academy of Medicine and the Military Orders of the Loyal Legion, Indian Wars and Spanish-American War. He married Katharine Russell Lincoln in 1864 and had 2 daughters and 2 sons, including the subject of the preceding sketch. (based on article in Who's Who in America, 1906/7.) He was the compiler of "Eliab Alden; His Alden Ancestors and Descendants" in 1905. His double ALDEN line of descent is included in that of his son above.

Chart #1

Pedigree of Alden, Charles Henry
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Date _____

References

Brig.-Gen.

Charles Henry Alden

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Charles Henry Alden

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Russell
Katharine Lincoln

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Rev.
Charles Henry Alden

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Alice Burrington Wight

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Eliab Alden

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to

see chart #2

Mary Hathaway

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Rev. Henry Wight

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to

see chart #3

Clarissa Leonard

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Chart #2

Pedigree of Alden, Charles Henry
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Date _____

References

Rev.
Charles Henry Alden
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Alice Burrington Wight

Eliab Alden

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Mary Hathaway

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 to

Joseph Alden

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 to

Hannah Hall

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John Alden

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Hannah White
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Chart #3

Pedigree of Alden, Charles Henry
Address _____

Date _____

References

Rev. Henry Wright

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Alice Burrington Wight
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Rev. Charles Henry Alden

Clarissa Leonard

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David Alden

see chart # 5

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Abigail Alden

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D
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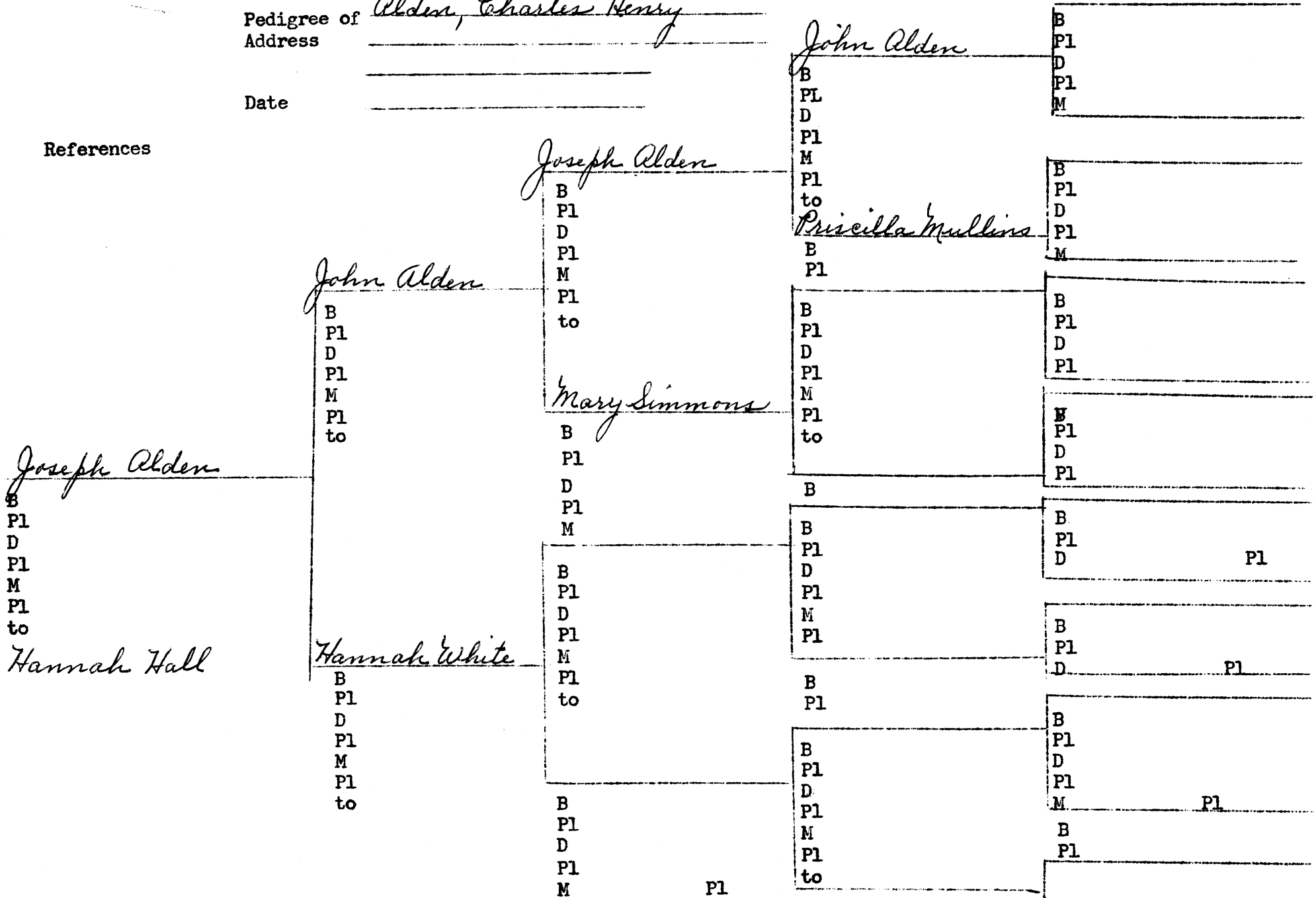
Hannah Paddleford

Chart # 4

Pedigree of Alden, Charles Henry
 Address _____

Date _____

References



Date _____

References

David Alden

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John Alden
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Hannah White

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Joseph Alden
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John Alden

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Priscilla Mullins

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Chart #1

Pedigree of Dike, Norman Stanton
Address _____

Date _____

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Camden Crosby Dike

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David Scott

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Jeannie Deans Scott

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Maria Wredenburg Stanton

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Polly Thomas

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Chart #2

Pedigree of Dike, Norman Staunton
 Address _____

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References

Gen. Phineas Stanton

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Elias Thomas

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to

Polly Thomas

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Sylvia Thompson

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Noah Thomas

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Mary Alden

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Caleb Tomson

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see chart #4

Abigail Crossman

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Chart # 3

Pedigree of Dike, Norman Staunton
 Address _____

Date _____

References

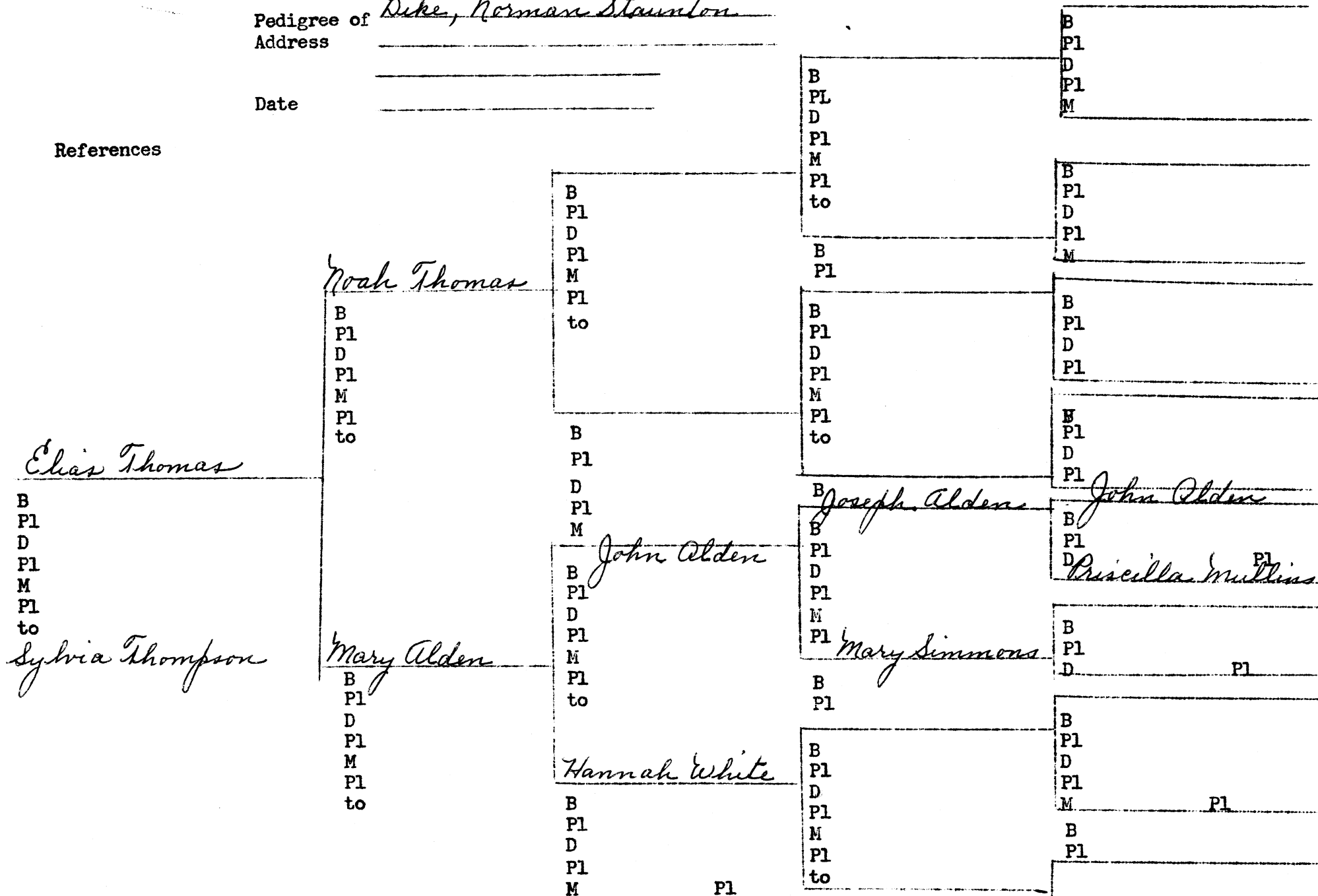
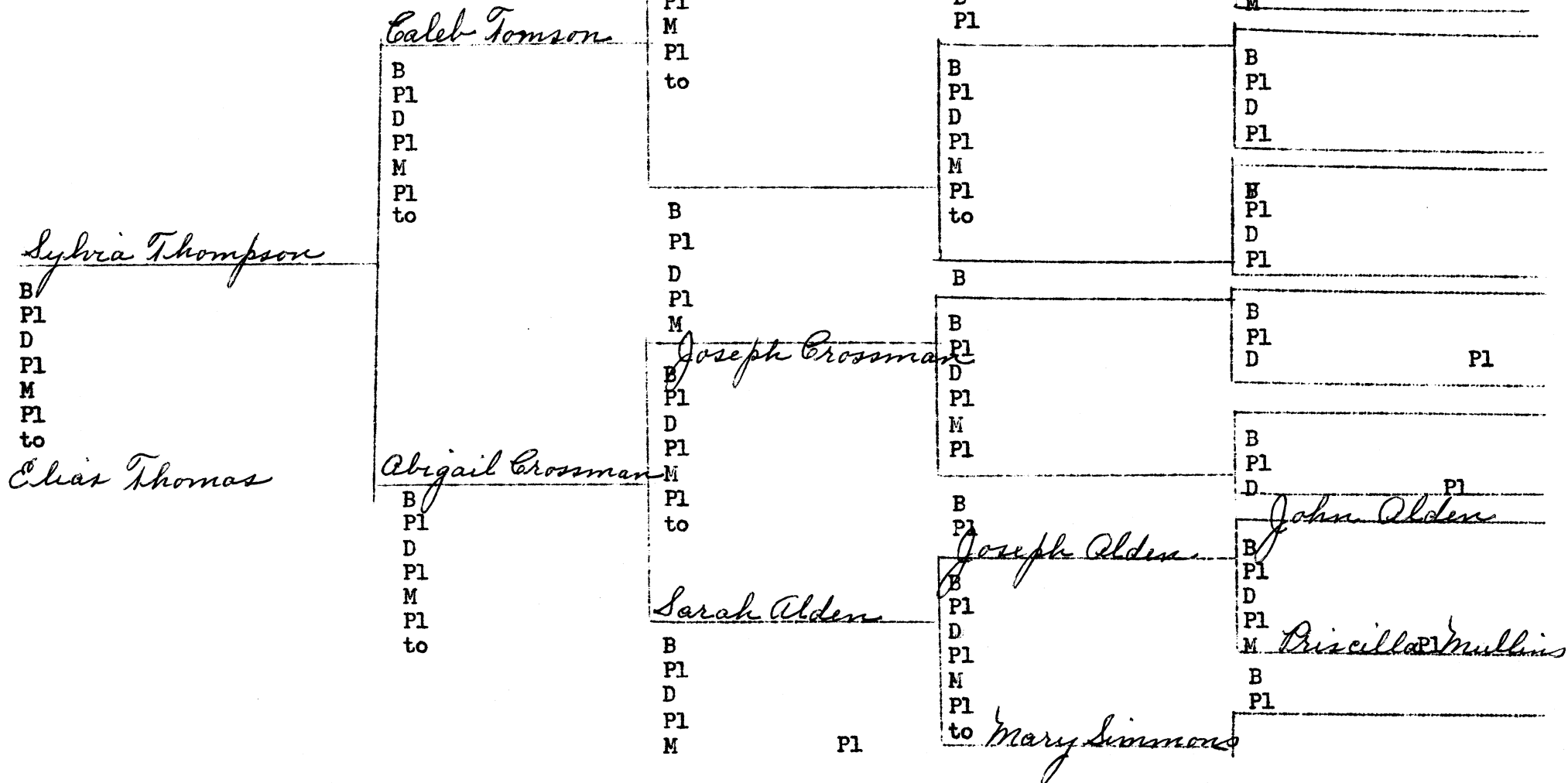


Chart #4

Pedigree of Dike, Norman Staunton
 Address _____

Date _____

References



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No. 157

SIDNEY BRADSHAW FAY

College professor. Born in Washington and received his A. B. at Harvard in 1896 and Ph. D. in 1900; also Ph. D. from University of Paris, 1899, and University of Berlin, 1900. Married Sarah Proctor and has 3 daughters. Was teaching fellow at Harvard, 1900/2; professor of history at Dartmouth, 1902/14; professor of European history at Smith College, 1914/29, and has been professor of history at Harvard since 1929. He was also a lecturer at Harvard, 1917/21, and at Amherst, 1924/5, and was Round Table leader at the Williamstown Institute of Politics, 1924, and president of the New England History Teachers Association, 1914. He is a member of the Verein fur Geschichte der Mark Brandenburg, Societe d'Histoire Moderne, Societe de l'Histoire de la Guerre, American Historical Association, American Political Science Association, and Massachusetts Historical Society. He is the author of A History Syllabus for Secondary Schools, 1904; The Records of the Town of Hanover, N. H., 1761-1818, 1904; A Syllabus of European History, 378-1900, 1912, and was editor of Smith College Studies in History, Fueter's World History, Origins of the World War, Guide to Historical Literature and Rise of Brandenburg-Prussia. He is a member of the board of editors of American Historical Review and has contributed articles to magazines. His home is in Cambridge, Mass. His father will be the subject of a Hall of Fame item. (Based on article in Who's Who in America, 1940/1). His ALDEN lineage (from Virkus Compendium of American Genealogy) is as follows:

1	John Alden	m	Priscilla Mullins
2	Joseph Alden	m	Mary Simmons
3	Isaac Alden	m	Mehitable Allen
4	Capt. Ebenezer Alden	m	Anna Keith
5	Abigail Alden	m	Ebenezer Byram
6	Phebe Byram	m	Edward Mills
7	Jabez Mills	m	Hannah Coe
8	Louise Mills	m	Barnabas Maynard Fay
9	Edward Allen Fay	m	Mary Bradshaw
10	Sidney Bradshaw Fay		the subject of this sketch

Chart #1

Pedigree of Fay, Sidney Bradshaw
Address _____

Date _____

References

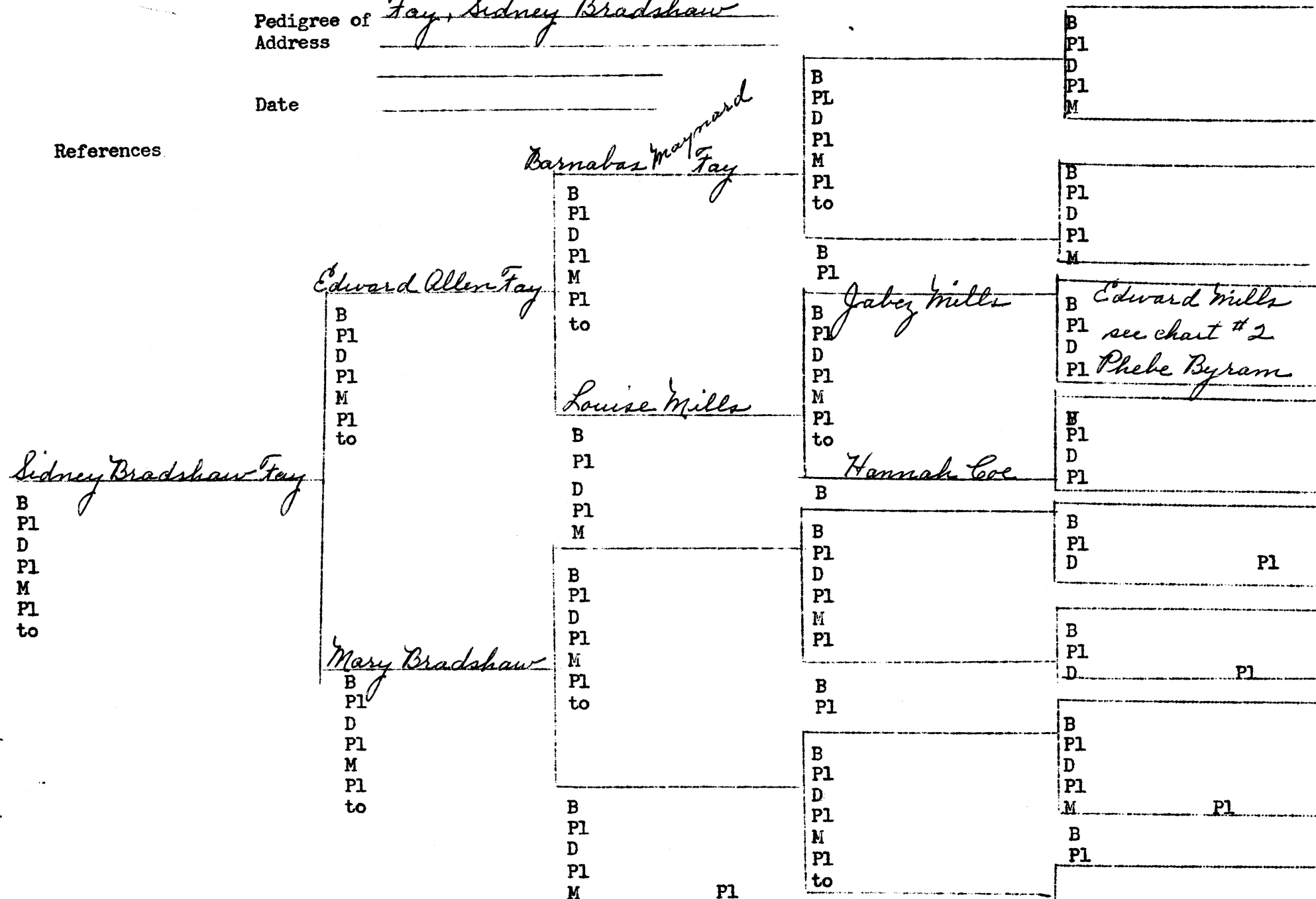


Chart #2

Pedigree of Fay, Sidney Bradshaw
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Edward Mills

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Chenezer Byram

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Rhebe Byram

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Abigail Alden

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Capt Chenezer Alden

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Anna Keith

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Isaac Alden

see chart #3

Mehitable Pl Allen

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Pedigree of Fay, Sidney Bradshaw
Address _____

References

Isaac Alden

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Joseph Alden

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Mary Simmons
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John Alden

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Priscilla Mullins

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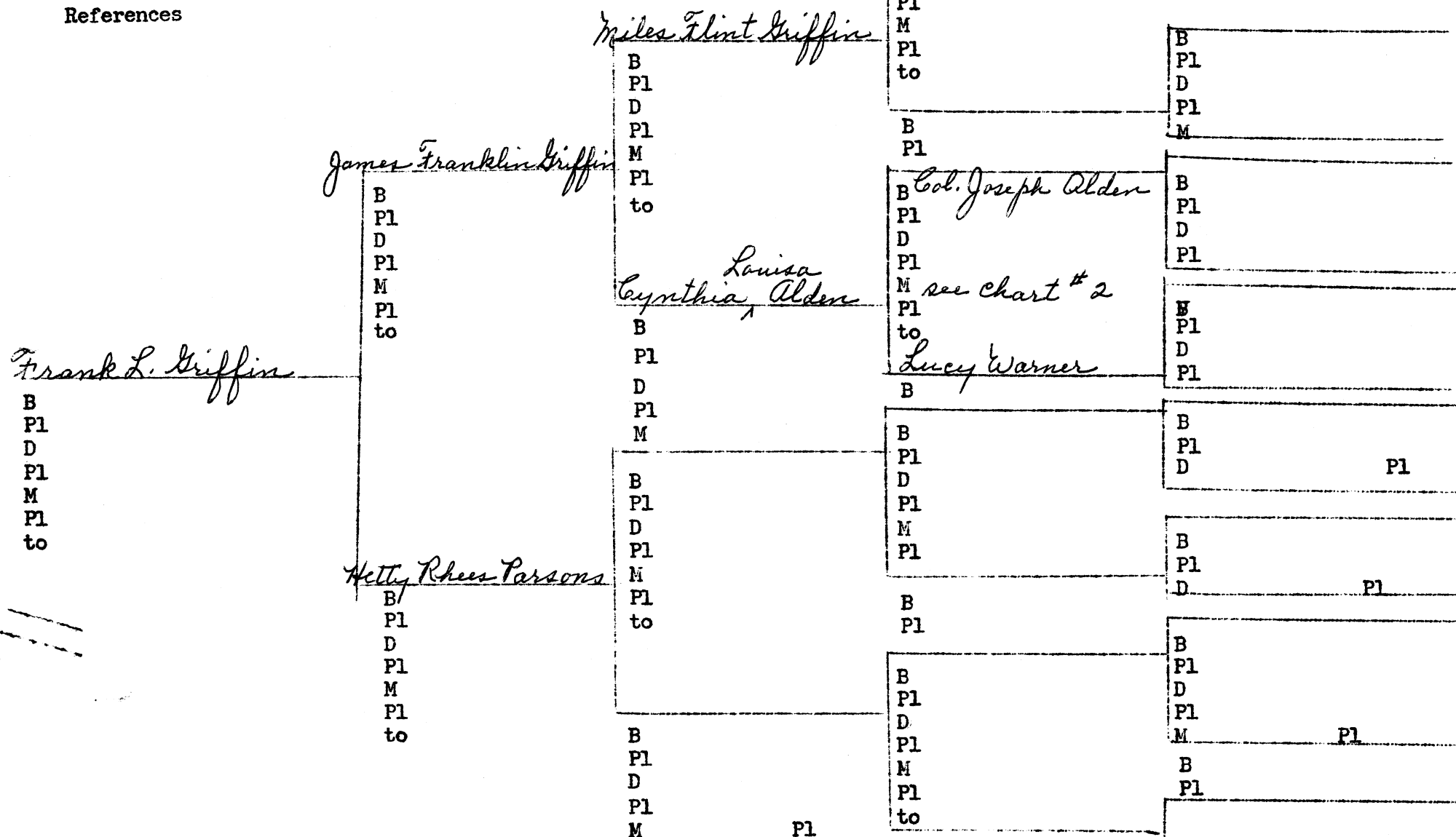
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No. 123

FRANK LOXLEY GRIFFIN

College professor. Born in Topeka, Kansas, and received his B.S. at the University of Chicago, 1903, and M. S. in 1904. He was a fellow in astronomy, 1904/6, and received the Ph.D., magna cum laude, in 1906. He did special biomathematic and econometric study in Europe, 1931. He married Mary Louisa Chambers in 1905, and has a son and 3 daughters. He was an instructor in mathematics, 1906/9, and assistant professor, 1909/11, at Williams College. He has been professor of mathematics at Reed College, Portland, Oregon, since 1911, and also a member of the administration committee 1920/1 and 1924. He was a lecturer at the University of Southern California in the summer of 1937, and is a member of the commission on Place of Mathematics in Secondary Schools; member of board of managers of Oregon Institute of Technology; Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science; member of the American Mathematical Society, Mathematical Association of America, Circolo Matematico di Palermo, Northwestern Science Association, American Association of University Professors, Econometric Society, Sigma Xi and Phi Beta Kappa. He was Director of the Mathematics Teaching Seminar at Reed College, 1939/40. He is a Republican and a Baptist and belongs to the Sons of the American Revolution. He is the author of Introduction to Mathematical Analysis, 1921; Mathematical Analysis-- Higher Course, 1926, and has contributed many scientific papers and popular articles on mathematics, astronomy and population. His home is in Portland, Oregon. (Based on article in Who's Who in America, 1940/1). His ALDEN lineage (from Virkus Compendium of American Genealogy) is as follows:

1	John Alden	m	Priscilla Mullens
2	Joseph Alden	m	Mary Simmons
3	Isaac Alden	m	Mehitable Allen
4	John Alden	m	Rebecca Nightingale
5	Corp. James Alden	m	Esther York
6	Col. Joseph Alden	m	Lucy Warner
7	Cynthia Louisa Alden	m	Miles Flint Griffin
8	James Franklin Griffin	m	Hetty Rhees Parsons
9	Frank Loxley Griffin,		the subject of this sketch



Pedigree of Griffin, Frank Loyley
Address _____

Date _____

References

Corp. James Alder

Col. Joseph Alden
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Esther York
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Cynthia Louisa Alden.

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Miles Flint Griffin

Lucy Warner
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John Alden

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see Chart #3

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Rebecca Nightingale
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Pedigree of Griffin, Frank Lovley
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Pedigree of <u>Druffin, Frank Hobley</u>		John Alden	
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		Pl	Pl
		M	M
References	Joseph Alden	B	B
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	Pl	D	D
	D	Pl	Pl
	Pl	M	M
	M		
	Pl	Priscilla Mullens	B
	to	B	Pl
		Pl	D
Isaac Alden	B	Pl	Pl
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Pl	M		
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to		Dise.	D
John Alden	B		Pl
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Pl	D		
D	Pl		
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Rebecca Nightingale	B		
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Mehitable Allen	B		
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No. 139

ALBERT MATTHEWS

Writer. Born in Boston and graduated from Harvard in 1882. Engaged in etymological and lexicographical studies; has written various monographs in the publications of the Colonial Society of Massachusetts, the American Antiquarian Society, the Massachusetts Historical Society, etc. He has been a contributor to Dialect Notes, Nation, Dial and other critical journals, and from 1905 to 1924 was editor of the Colonial Society of Massachusetts. He is a fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences and a member of the American Philosophical Society, the American Antiquarian Society, the American Dialect Society, the American Historical Association, American Foke-Lore Society, American Anthropological Society, American Association for the Advancement of Science, American Bibliographical Society, American Geographic Society, and the historical societies of Massachusetts, Maine, Virginia and Wisconsin. His clubs are the Union Club of Boston and the Harvard Club of both New York and Boston. He is unmarried and his home is in Boston. (Based on article in Who's Who in America, 1940/1). His ALDEN lineage (from Alden Master Index) is as follows:

1	John Alden	m	Prisoilla Mullins
2	Elizabeth Alden	m	William Pabodie
3	Rebecca Pabodie	m	Capt. William Southworth
4	Capt. Samuel Southworth	m	Abigail -----
5	Samuel Southworth	m	Abigail Wells
6	Samuel Wells Southworth	m	Mercy Allen
7	Anna Southworth	m	William J. Bunker
8	Albertine Bunker		Nathan Matthews
9	Albert Matthews,		the subject of this sketch

Chart #1

Pedigree of Matthews, Albert
Address _____

Date _____

References

Nathan Matthews

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Wm. J. Bunker

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to

Albertine Bunker

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Anna Southworth

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see chart #2

Mercy Allen

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Chart #2

Pedigree of Matthews, Albert
 Address _____

Date _____

Capt Samuel Southworth

References

Samuel Wells Southworth

Samuel Southworth

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to

Abigail Wells

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Abigail

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Anna Southworth

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Wm. J. Bunker

Mercy Allen

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Editor and manufacturer. Born in Providence, R. I. in 1861, and received his A B at University of Michigan, 1883, and LL D from the College of Puget Sound, Tacoma, Wash. Married Edith O. Simpson in 1887, and had one daughter. He was the editor of the Winona (Minn.) Herald, 1885/9, and of the Tacoma (Wash.) Morning Globe, 1889/94. He was secretary and treasurer of the Metcalf Shingle Co., 1894/1910. His civic activities included secretary of the Board of Public Works of Tacoma, 1890/4; chairman of the Republican City Committee, 1904/6; member of the Washington State Senate, 1907/39, and president pro tem of the Senate, 1927/9; member of the American Rural Credit Commission to Europe, 1913; secretary of the International Trade Commission to Europe, 1922, 1924/5; vice chairman and secretary of the Commercial Commission to Cuba, 1924. He wrote Direct Primary Legislation, 1907; Rural Credits in Germany, 1914; Rural Credit, Cooperation and Agricultural Organization in Europe, 1915; also various reports. He was an Episcopalian, Mason (Knight Templar and Shriner), Elk and Woodman, and his clubs were Union, University, Tacoma and Country and Golf. His home and office were in Tacoma, Wash., and he died April 14, 1939. (From Who's Who in America, 1938/9). He was descended from William Bradford and Thomas Rogers of the Mayflower. His ALDEN lineage (from Mayflower Index and an elaborate article in vol. 32 of "Americana", for which he presumably paid) was as follows:

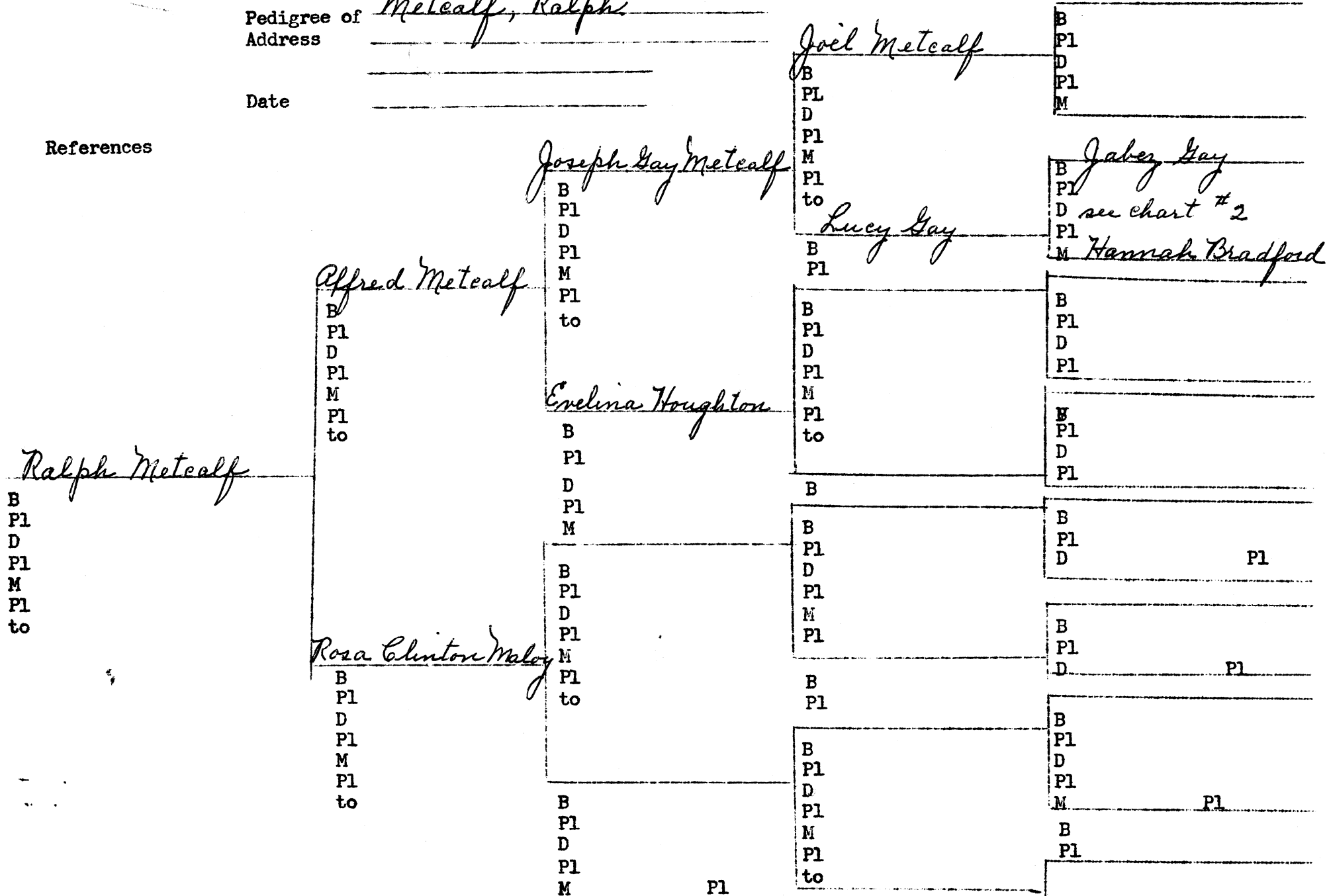
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2	Elizabeth Alden	m	William Pabodie
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4	Hannah Rogers	m	Capt. Samuel Bradford
5	Hon. Perez Bradford	m	Abigail Belcher
6	Hannah Bradford	m	Jabez Gay
7	Lucy Gay	m	Joel Metcalf
8	Joseph Gay Metcalf	m	Evelina Houghton
9	Alfred Metcalf	m	Rosa Clinton Maloy
10	Ralph Metcalf	the subject of this sketch.	

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Pedigree of Metcalf, Ralph
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Priscilla Mullins

THE ALDEN HALL OF FAME

Descendants of JOHN ALDEN who have achieved sufficient prominence to be included in some published work of biography. Each month we present items on one contemporary ALDEN and one from past history. The series so far has included Harvey DeWitt Griswold, Samuel Seabury (Judge), Reuben Peterson, Caroline Alden Huling, Frederick Baylies Allen and John William Burgess. (Index of first 150 in January, 1942, GOSSIP).

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GEORGE F. MORRIS

Judge. Born in Vershire, Vermont, and graduated at the Randolph State Normal School in 1887; studied law with the firm of Smith & Sloane at Wells River, Vt. Married Lula J. Aldrich in 1894 and has one son. He was a teacher and principal of schools until 1891, when he began the practice of law at Lisbon, New Hampshire. He moved to Lancaster, N. H. in 1906. He was a member of the New Hampshire House of Representatives in 1905; a member of the New Hampshire Constitutional Convention in 1902 and 1912, and has been a Judge of the United States District Court for the District of New Hampshire, by appointment of President Harding, since October 25, 1921. He is a Republican, a Congregationalist and a Mason, and his home is at Lancaster, N. H. (From Who's Who in America, 1942/3.) His ALDEN lineage (from Southworth Genealogy by S.G. Webber) is as follows:

1	John Alden	m	Priscilla Mullins
2	Elizabeth Alden	m	William Pabodie
3	Rebecca Pabodie	m	Capt. William Southworth
4	Nathaniel Southworth	m	Mary Torrey
5	Josiah Southworth	m	Esther Proctor
6	Lemuel Southworth	m	Elizabeth Stoddard
7	Esther P. Southworth	m	William Munroe Morris
8	Josiah S. Morris	m	Lucina C. Merrill
9	George F. Morris		the subject of this sketch.

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Pedigree of Morris, George F
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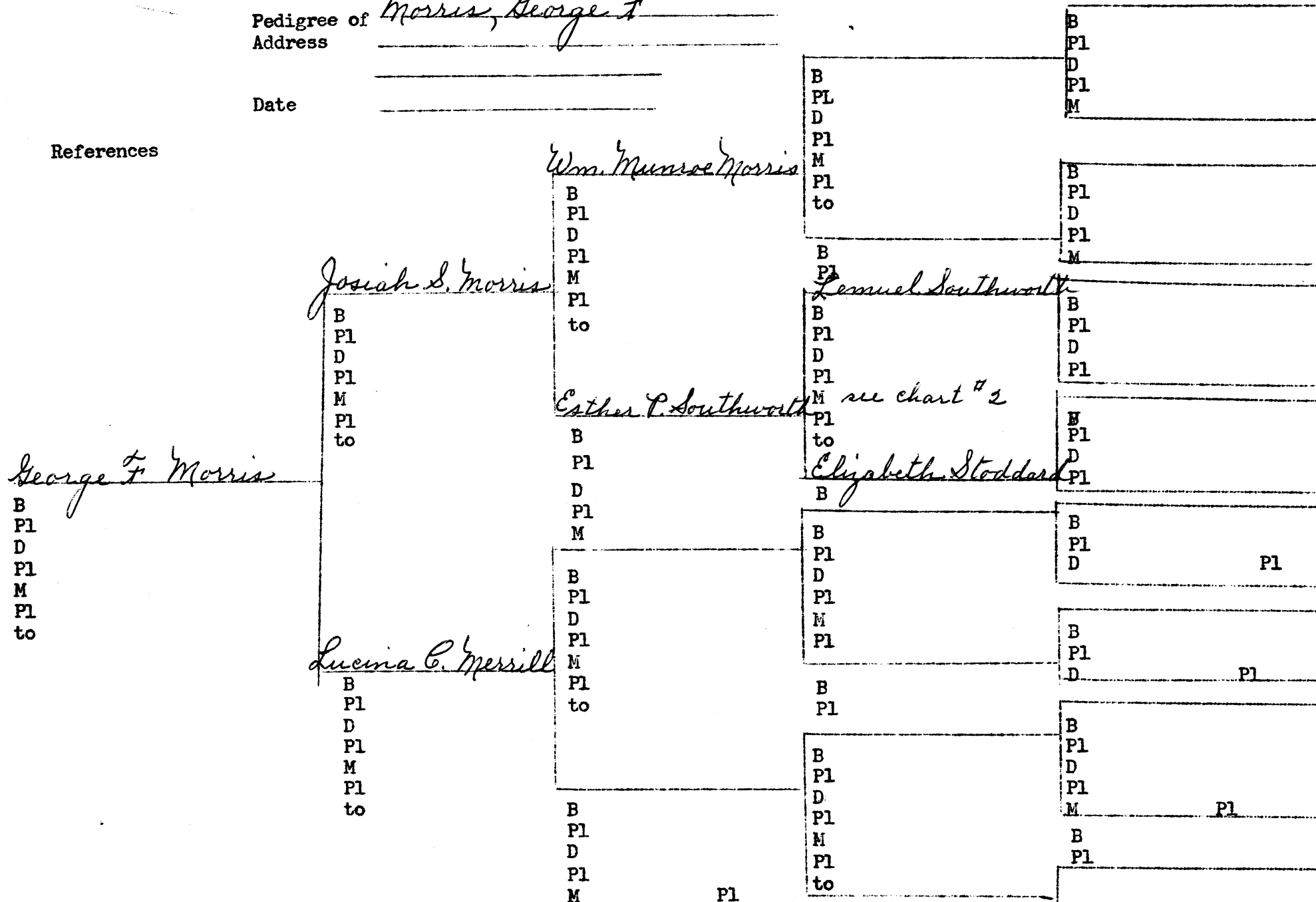


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Capt. Wm. Southworth

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Photographer and handwriting expert. Born in West Fairlee, Vermont, in 1811, and educated at Thetford Hill Academy, Vermont, and Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass. After several years in farming, teaching and trading, he opened a drug store in Cabotville, Mass., in 1839. In 1840, he went to New York to see the newly invented daguerreotype process, which so impressed him that he purchased an outfit and began to make pictures at Cabotville in partnership with J. Pennell. Their experiments were successful and their work drew high praise and was exhibited in Boston, New York and in England. In 1841, they removed to Boston and joined forces with Hawes and Somerby, and the business of making daguerreotypes and dealing in supplies and apparatus was carried on under the firm name of Albert S. Southworth & Co. until 1846, when the firm of Southworth & Hawes was established, the other partners having withdrawn. Mr.

Southworth retired from business in 1862 and devoted himself to the study and examination of handwriting, being one of the first to employ photographic enlargements for this purpose. He became one of the leading handwriting experts of the latter half of the 19th century and was employed in many important legal cases. During 1849/51, he was away from Boston having joined the Forty-Niners in the quest for gold in California. In religion he was a Congregationalist and in politics a Republican. He married Louise Roxana Dwight in 1842 and Abba Louisa Ward in 1891, but died without issue at Charlestown, Mass., in 1894. (Based on article in National Cyclopaedia of American Biography, vol. 28, pub. 1940). His ALDEN lineage (from Southworth Genealogy by Samuel G. Webber) is as follows:

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5	Josiah Southworth	m	Esther Proctor
6	Asa Southworth	m	Hannah Allen
7	Asa Southworth	m	Nancy Niles
8	Albert Sands Southworth	the subject of this sketch	

Chart #1

Pedigree of Southworth, Albert Sands
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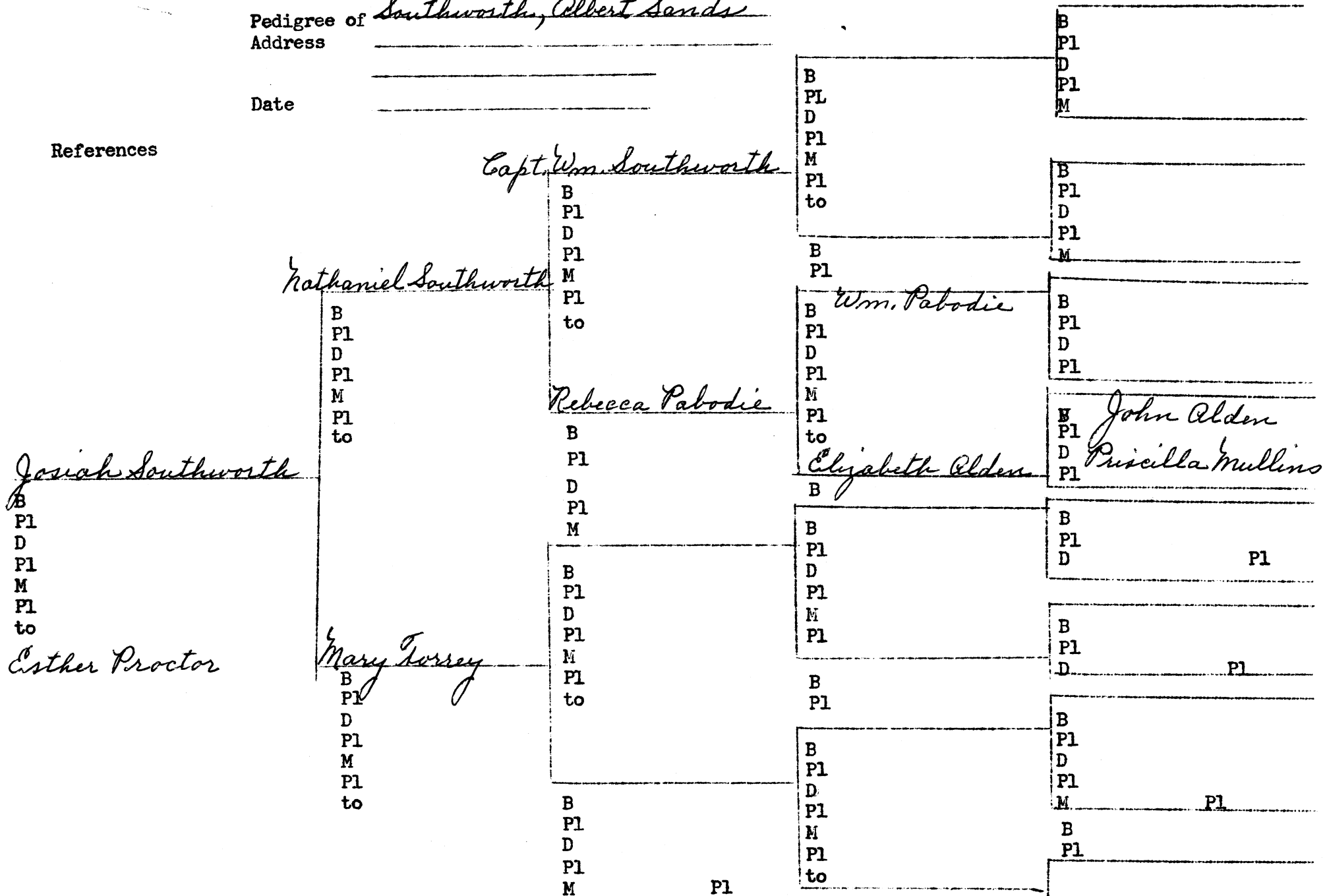
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Pedigree of Southworth, Albert Sands
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Alden Family

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 Watertown, Mass

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Louise Polly Casey

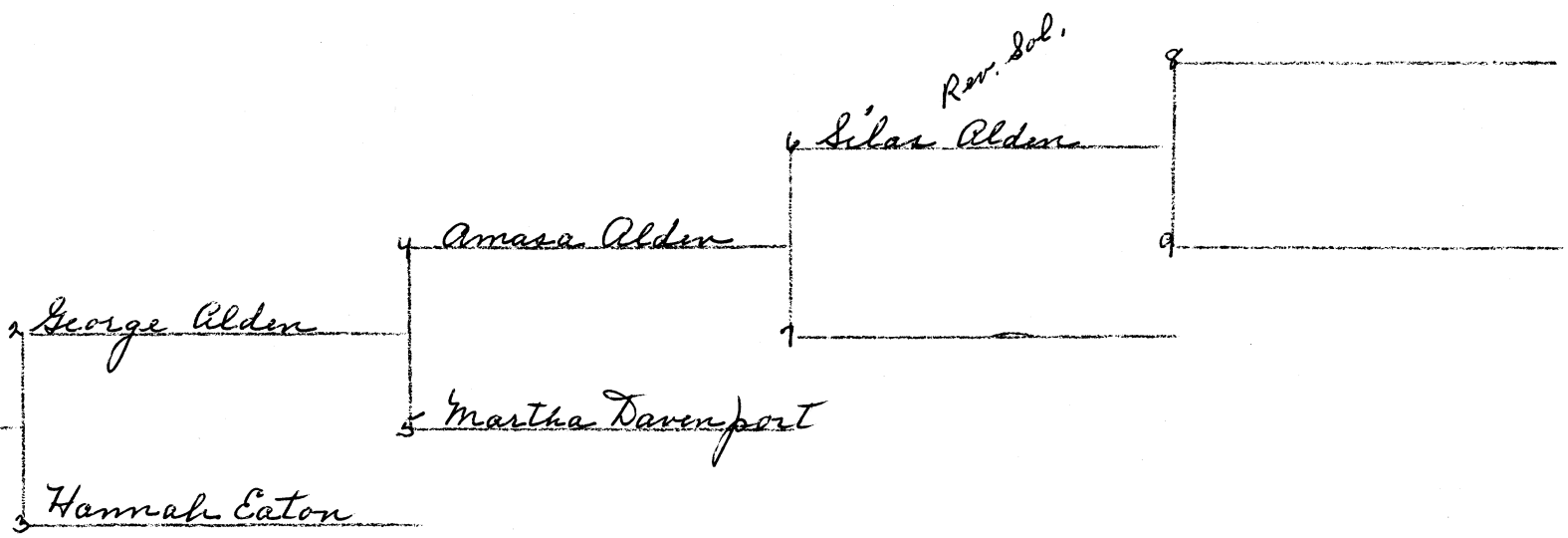
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 New Hampshire Regt.

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John Eaton Alden
Newton, Mass



#6 Silas Alden, Lt. Mass. Militia